

Weather Forecast
Mostly cloudy and somewhat colder tonight followed by rain Wednesday.

THE GETTYSBURG TIMES

Good Evening
Congrats to the Burgess on his mosquito eradication recommendation.

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Mosquito Eradication And Comfort Station Are Urged By Heiges

A plea for harmony and cooperation, coupled with the recommendation that the borough council keep at least 15 per cent below the budget in 1946, was voiced by Burgess C. A. Heiges in his inaugural address to the borough council at the council's organization meeting at the engine house Monday night.

His address included a recommendation that a committee be appointed within the next month to act to alleviate the mosquito nuisance, and that the budget or finance committee arrange for such work in the budget. He announced that the securing of a comfort station in Gettysburg would be one of the major improvements sought by him during his term of office.

More Police Beats

Harmony in the police department, and covering of beats on the back streets as well as main streets, enforcement of the snow and ice removal ordinance, and the cutting down of speeding, were listed among his pledges.

Mr. Heiges expressed his satisfaction at getting "back into harness again," and said he hoped to attend meetings regularly, adding that during the 12 years he served previously as burgess he missed but one meeting in 144.

"I hope for an administration of complete harmony between burgess, police and council, and that a spirit of cooperation may prevail and that we may all so administer our affairs that we may all be a help and a real asset to our city. I shall appreciate suggestions from council at all times," Mr. Heiges said.

Larger Disposal Plant

Suggesting economy and operation 15 per cent below the budget total, the burgess warned the council to keep in mind that the borough has a sewer plant that, he said, will have to be enlarged in the very near future.

"We shall endeavor to have our police department give a good account of itself," Mr. Heiges said. "The police must work in harmony to accomplish good results, and on this I shall insist."

"We now have meters, and while they are a source of revenue, the primary object of the meters is to ease up congestion of traffic and afford parking places for tourists and shoppers alike, and in this they are already proving their worth."

Mr. Heiges said he trusted very few fines would be necessary, and declared that fines could be eliminated or reduced to a minimum by the public itself. He declared, however, that ordinances must be honored, and pointed particularly to the snow and ice ordinance.

Enforce Snow Removal

"Our ordinance states that all snow and ice must be removed from pavements and sidewalks in front of vacant lots, as well as in front of homes, within 12 hours after the same has ceased to fall or to be formed thereon, or pay a fine and cost of prosecution. We will not have our citizens wading through snow and slush and ice, due to a few being indifferent to the ordinance. I am issuing a warning now that this ordinance will be enforced."

"Another hazard in Gettysburg must be corrected, and that is speeding on our streets," the burgess said. He said this must be stopped, not only in Center Square but on all streets, and "can be accomplished and must be accomplished by our police, policing all our streets and not only by car, but on foot as well."

Mr. Heiges said, relative to the comfort station, that he had written Congressman Chester Gross, asking that he use his efforts to have the Department of Interior provide a comfort station in the borough. He said he had been assured by Mr. Gross that he was in accord with the idea and would seek action.

19 Are Discharged From Armed Forces

Nineteen Adams county service men, including 16 soldiers who were discharged at Indiantown Gap Monday, have been released by the armed forces.

Those discharged at Indiantown were T/5 Herman L. Newman, Littlestown; Pfc. John B. Riggs, 104 Second street, McSherrystown; T/4 Robert M. Kennedy, York Springs R. 2; Pvt. William G. Griffie, Gardeners R. 1; Pfc. Harry E. Bender, 125 Carlisle street; Pfc. Claude E. Gladhill, Fairfield R. 1; Sgt. Roland W. Kline, Benderville; Sgt. Luther W. Koontz, East Railroad street; Pvt. Lawrence D. Cruze, Gettysburg R. 1; Sgt. Harold L. Swope, East Berlin R. 1; T/5 Donald E. Myers, East Berlin R. 2; Sgt. Wayne W. Asper, Gettysburg R. 3; M/Sgt. Samuel D. Conover, Littlestown R. 2; S/Sgt. Francis L. Carter, 135 Breckenridge street; S/Sgt. Francis E. Smith, New Oxford; Sgt. Charles F. Dillman, Jr., 428 South Washington street.

Among those discharged from the navy at Bainbridge, Md., recently were Lloyd M. Shultz, SC 3/C, Gettysburg; Harold C. Clapsaddle, SC2/C, Gettysburg, and Earl Morris Heiser, PhM 3/C, McSherrystown.

Radio batteries, Baker's Battery Service.

Major R. D. Hanson Is Home From Overseas

Major Robert D. Hanson, youngest son of Dr. and Mrs. Henry W. Hanson, college campus, arrived home on Monday after serving a year and a half overseas. He has been in service almost four years.

Major Hanson is on terminal leave until April 1 after which he will be placed on inactive duty. He is a graduate of Gettysburg high school and college and the Dickinson Law school.

\$1,000 ASKED FROM BOROUGH FOR LIBRARY

Borough council Monday night referred to its finance committee a request from representatives of the Adams County Free Library association that the borough provide funds for the maintenance of the central library in Gettysburg, at an annual cost estimated at \$1,000. This would include rent of the quarters on Carlisle street and the light and telephone.

Miss Kathryn Oiler, librarian, Richard A. Brown, Esq., chairman of the membership committee, and Mrs. Elsie Singmaster Lewars, a director of the association and its vice chairman, appeared before the council to urge that it include funds for the library maintenance in its budget.

"The borough of Gettysburg and its citizens receive great benefits from the library through their easy access to it," Mr. Brown declared. He cited the fact that New Oxford had provided funds for its reading room in that borough, and that other communities were assisting.

Benefit To Town

Mrs. Lewars said that the library should be supported for two reasons, its impression on strangers and for the good of the children.

"It adds much to the town to have a library," she declared, "and there is nothing in the world we can do for our children like giving them good books."

In introducing Miss Oiler, Mr. Brown declared that "a great deal of the success of the library to date we attribute to her."

Miss Oiler said that the library association has 1,735 members from Gettysburg, and of the 145 organizations supporting the library through memberships, 76 are from this town. More than 500 persons visited the library when it held its open house, proof, Miss Oiler said, that the people want the library.

\$3,500 From County

"When the library opened at noon today, we gave out 11 books in the first 15 minutes," she added. "After school the children just poured in."

Mr. Brown said that the county commissioners had taken the lead by appropriating \$3,500 per year for the library, and that the state was providing \$2,500.

"In addition, the state library makes available several thousand books," he said.

The library association is setting up a county system, Mr. Brown said, through which books and reading matter will be provided for residents of the county who do not have ready access to the central library. He cited the fact that books will be brought to the children of 98 schools in the county.

Look to Bookmobile

The success of the opening day leads to the belief that the bookmobile will prove just as successful when it starts its tour of the county a few months from now, Miss Oiler declared. By dividing the county into eight sections the county librarians hopes to be able to visit every section of the county each month with the bookmobile.

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TREASURER OF BOROUGH GIVEN PAY INCREASE

The borough council, at its first meeting of the new year in the engine house Monday night, re-employed all of its present borough employees, and voted salary increases to Treasurer John H. Basehore and Harry Turner, foreman and truck driver. Mr. Basehore's salary was increased from \$250 a year to \$900 and Mr. Turner's from \$1,620 to \$1,740. Wages of the sewer cleaner were increased from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per hour, and the special equipment operator will receive 65 cents an hour instead of 58 cents when employed on this equipment.

Mr. Basehore, who has assisted in the meter collections and counting of the meter receipts, submitted a proposition to the council to continue this work at \$50 a month extra or on an hourly basis of 65 cents an hour. He also asked an increase in his regular salary as borough treasurer from \$250 to \$300 a year. Council voted him \$50 a month for the meter collections and the \$50 regular salary increases, bringing the total to \$900 a year.

Other Salaries

Other borough employees re-hired, and their salaries, are: secretary, Mrs. Anna B. Drach, \$300 per year; engineer and street commissioner, LeRoy H. Winebrenner, \$1,800; solicitor, Eugene V. Bullett, retainer fee of \$300 per year; chief of police, Robert C. Harpster, \$2,000; police officers, Charles W. Culp, Jr., and Clark W. Staley, \$1,560 per year; special police officer, Paul Shealer, 60 cents an hour.

The bond of Mr. Basehore was increased from \$5,000 to \$10,000. Bonds for Mr. Winebrenner and Mr. Bullett were fixed at \$1,000. The application of Clark W. Staley for appointment as health officer was referred to the health committee, and the letter of Cpl. William G. Turner, former borough truckdriver now in service, asking for letters requesting his discharge from the army and re-employment, was tabled.

Disposal plant operator and janitor at engine house, Clair Foulk, \$1,860; laborers, George Miller, Nelson Shank Clarence Strausbaugh, Willis Starner and Howard Beard, 58 cents an hour.

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SCHOOL PUPILS "TAKE" LIBRARY ON OPENING DAY

Gettysburg's school children "took over" the Adams County library by the hundreds Monday, first afternoon the library was open, and while only 64 were registered for books "I could have registered 164 if there had been time," Miss Kathryn Oiler, librarian, told the Gettysburg Rotary club Monday night.

A number of school children, including Fred Strickhouser, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strickhouser, Stevens street, first to be registered, were waiting at the library door for the building to open, and the children continued to jam the library rooms during the hours after school.

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A. V. CARDENTI NEW 40-8 HEAD

Adams County Voiture No. 731, La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux, met Monday evening at the clubrooms of the Albert J. Lentz Post No. 202, American Legion, on Baltimore street, and elected Albert V. Cardenti, Gettysburg, as chief de gare.

Other officers named were: Chief de train, Holson D. Crouse, Gettysburg R. D.; commissaire, John W. Hewitt, Gettysburg; correspondent, Lawrence M. Sheads, Gettysburg; conducteurs, Dr. R. D. Wickerham, Gettysburg and Walter Shoemaker, Littlestown; garde de la porte, Harry E. Carbaugh, Gettysburg R. D.; lampiste, William O. Wolfe, New Oxford R. D.; commissaire, Cletus Smith, Gettysburg; cheminots, Harry J. Troxell and Roy A. Alexander, Gettysburg, and Evan M. Appler, Littlestown.

New members will be accepted at the next meeting and plans made for a "wreck" in the near future, to be staged by York County Voiture No. 9.

JUDGE SHEELY WILL ADDRESS FRUIT GROWERS

Judge W. C. Sheely will be one of the speakers at the annual meeting of the Adams County Fruit Growers Association Saturday at Biglerville. It was announced today by Robert C. Lott, Aspers R. 1, president of the organization.

Judge Sheely will speak following dinner in the C. H. Musselman cafeteria. Truman Noid, executive secretary of the National Apple Institute will also be a speaker, on the subject: "The Consumer is Still the Boss."

Urging all members of the association to bring their orchard men with them to the sessions, President Lott asserted that "only by united efforts and loyal support can we hope to secure quality fruit production and marketing."

Plan Spray Programs

The apple and peach spray programs for the coming year will be presented by Extension Entomologist J. O. Pepper and Extension Plant Pathologist L. O. Weaver. Among their topics will be discussion of the use of new materials developed during the war years.

Reports are scheduled by the auditing committee comprising George Schriver, Ryland Garrettson and Alfred Fidler; by the nominating committee made up of Fred Griest, W. E. Grove and B. E. Benner and by the resolution committee comprising John Peters, Fred Griest and John Wilson.

The morning session, starting at 9:30 a. m. will be held in the Biglerville auditorium.

MRS. M. FISCHER GIVES TALK AT SOCIETY MEET

The Missionary society of Christ Lutheran church held its January meeting Monday afternoon at the church with "Liberia, Air Crossroads of the World," as the topic for study.

Mrs. M. Hadwin Fischer, Philadelphia, who was the guest speaker, talked on the subject. The devotional period was conducted by Mrs. E. A. Crouse assisted by Mrs. H. C. Michael, Mrs. Crouse and Mrs. J. I. Burgoon served as leaders.

Included on the program were two solos of African songs by Mrs. Raymond F. Sheely accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Paul A. Kinsey.

Mrs. W. C. Waltemyer, as president, appointed the following committees to serve during the ensuing year: Thank-offering, Mrs. Carl C. Rasmussen and Mrs. A. R. Wentz; Life Membership and In Memoriam, Mrs. F. K. Schwartz, Miss Kate Gilbert, Mrs. Cora E. Berkey, Mrs. A. R. Wentz, Mrs. J. I. Burgoon and Mrs. H. C. Michael; Magazine secretary, Mrs. E. A. Crouse; Mission Study committee, Mrs. J. E. Sanderson, Mrs. E. S. Lewars, Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh, Mrs. Ralph D. Heim and Mrs. H. D. Hoover; Box Work, Mrs. John Kaltreider, Mrs. Charles Black, Mrs. Harry F. Baughman, Miss Anna Reek and Mrs. Charles H. Smith; Membership, Mrs. J. Ellis Musselman, Miss Bess Hoke, Mrs. Clyde B. Stover, Mrs. R. S. Saby, Mrs. J. I. Burgoon, Mrs. Marie Zeigler and Mrs. Dwight F. Putnam; Program, Mrs. Albert Bachman, Mrs. W. E. Tilberg, Mrs. A. Harrison Barr and Mrs. A. R. Wentz.

It was announced that Mrs. Ralph D. Heim, a former president, Mrs. H. C. Picking and Mrs. George Christman, were honored by life memberships.

It was also announced that Mrs. Dwight F. Putnam had been chosen to represent the society on the Gettysburg Council of Church Women.

ESCAPED PWS RECAPTURED; 'LIKE AMERICA'

The two German prisoners who escaped from the Gettysburg POW camp last Thursday evening were recaptured Monday afternoon at 2:50 o'clock near Zora by prison camp guards, state police from Gettysburg and an agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Acting on a tip the authorities found the pair hidden in a straw stack adjacent to an unused barn on the property of Clayton Phillips, Emmitsburg R. 1, located close to the Maryland line in the Friends' creek section. The Germans offered no resistance but apparently were "very badly scared," according to one of the officers present for the capture.

H. B. Fletcher, special agent in charge of the Philadelphia field division of the FBI, disclosed today that statements made to the FBI by the recaptured Nazis were to the effect that they had escaped because "they liked America, wanted to see more of it and hoped to reach a large city and stay in this country rather than return to Germany."

No Food In Two Days

Hans H. Harloff, 20, who was captured in June, 1944, could speak English, but his companion in the escape, Bernard Wagner, 24, a prisoner of the Allies since May, 1943, has a very limited use of English and cannot carry on a conversation in that tongue.

Both the Germans were hungry, the FBI said, and told their captors they had not eaten for two days. They said they had walked from the camp to the point where they were captured, arriving at the barn late Saturday night or early Sunday morning.

The captured men have been "returned to military control." They stated they escaped the camp by slipping out between lower barbed wire strands at an unguarded corner of the camp stockade at 7:50 p. m. Thursday. They had no particular destination in mind, the FBI quoted them as saying. The Germans told the officers they had no friends or relatives in this country from whom they could expect help.

EXTEND PLANS FOR CLOTHING CAMPAIGN HERE

Plans for securing the cooperation of schools, business places, churches, and other community organizations in the current Victory Clothing Collection were advanced at a meeting Monday of the local committee on the clothing drive which opened Monday in 11,078 American communities in an effort to collect 100,000,000 serviceable used garments for distribution among war sufferers overseas.

The campaign for clothing will continue through January 31 with more than 90,000,000 members of church and community organizations participating in the effort. Henry J. Kaiser is national chairman of the Victory Clothing Collection.

Cloyd Shetter, local chairman, is contacting local school principals to make arrangements for collection centers at each of the school buildings. A date will be announced later for a town-wide collection of clothing with the help of the fire company and Boy Scouts.

Appeal by President

The main collection center for receiving clothing here has been set up at the Clarence Epley machine shop building in the first block of South Washington street.

Clothing collection committees are being set up in other communities in the county. Littlestown already has its campaign underway.

President Truman has appealed to all Americans to support the Victory Clothing Drive to help meet the desperate needs of millions of war victims. He said:

"This winter more than 300 million war victims throughout the world are paying the cost of victory in poverty, disease, cold and hunger. In all the countries devastated by war, lack of clothing intensifies their hardships. Their need is immediate and desperate."

"I therefore urge every American to heed the appeal of the Victory Clothing Collection for overseas relief."

John S. Wolfe To Head County Auditors

John S. Wolfe, Biglerville, was re-elected president of the Adams county auditors at the annual reorganization meeting Monday.

Armor M. Weikert, Gettysburg, was named as secretary. S. M. Keagy, Littlestown is the third auditor. Attorney William L. Meals was named as solicitor. The Auditors voted to hold no sessions on Saturdays.

Girl Scouts Pick Officers For Year

The annual election of officers was conducted by the Caroline Cudori troop of Girl Scouts of the Catholic church at a regular meeting Monday evening in the troop rooms.

The election resulted as follows: President, Nancy Bushman; vice president, Barbara Ann Rider; secretary, Jean Smith, and treasurer, Margaret Holtz.

TAKES FORMER POSITION

Paul R. Knox, recently discharged veteran of two and a half years in the navy most of which time was served in the Pacific theater, has returned to his former position as sales manager for Glenn L. Bream, Buford avenue. He was employed by Mr. Bream for nine years before entering the service.

SCHOOLMEN TO SPONSOR RECREATION

Adams county's schoolmen, claiming there exists a definite need for recreation facilities for the county's youth during the summer, Monday night determined to set up some program for this coming summer to take up the recreational slack that exists after the closing of the schools for the vacation period.

Meeting in the office of the county superintendent of schools, the executive committee of Adams County Schoolmen's Association voted to invite burgesses, heads of youth councils and presidents of schoolboards to a joint session February 28. From that gathering the schoolmen hope to round out a program of summer activities that will keep the youths from 11 to 18 busy in organized activities.

Need Play Facilities

Linking the increase in delinquency to the lack of wholesome activities, the schoolmen claimed it was the fault of the schools, parents and communities who provide but few facilities for the youngsters' recreation.

C. E. Billheimer, director of athletics at Gettysburg College, was placed in charge of the February meeting to be held in the Student Christian Association building on the college campus. Present plans call for selection of some prominent speaker to start the program, to be followed by a general panel discussion on the theme "The Need and Value of Community Recreation and Adaptation to Our Own County Communities."

Three Other Programs

Three other programs for the coming months were also outlined by the executive committee. On January 23 at the SCA building the schoolmen will continue their study of the Harvard Report on "General Education in a Free Society" which was started in November. A panel consisting of Dr. Thomas Cline, Dean W. E. Tilberg, Prof. Robert Fortenbaugh and Dr. W. C. Waltemyer will lead the discussion.

Charles Wolfe was placed in charge of the annual career conference program at Gettysburg college for all junior and senior high school students in the county set for March 15. The program, to be held at Gettysburg College, will provide a series of lectures and demonstrations of various types of lifework that might be taken up by the individual students.

A joint meeting with the schoolmen of Franklin and York counties was planned for April 24. The program for the joint dinner session was not completed.

CHURCH GROUP HEARS STUDENT

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met Monday afternoon at the church with the president, Mrs. Rudolph Rosenstengel, presiding.

Mrs. E. Donald Scott was in charge of the devotional period. Mrs. John Lott introduced Robert Barry, of British Guiana, a student at Gettysburg college, who was the guest speaker.

Mrs. Rosenstengel appointed Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas, Mrs. Walter Africa and Mrs. J. P. Dalbey members of a nominating committee to report at the next meeting.

It was announced the thank-offering meeting will be held in conjunction with the regular February meeting. At that time the study book, "This is Africa," will be reviewed.

The vice presidents, Mrs. C. Ross Shuman and Mrs. C. H. Heldt, will be in charge of the meeting. Following the meeting a reception will be held for new members. Mrs. Herbert Hamme is chairman of the committee in charge of the reception arrangements.

Serving as hostesses at Monday's meeting were Mrs. J. Kerr Lott, Mrs. Ira Plank, Mrs. Robert Tipton, Mrs. Henry Stewart, Miss Sarah Lott and Mrs. Mark Snyder.

RAY HOFFMAN NEW HEAD OF TOWN COUNCIL

Ray M. Hoffman, secretary-treasurer of the Victor Products corporation, became the new president of the Gettysburg borough council at its organization meeting at the engine house Monday night. He was elected unanimously, after the retiring president, H. M. Oyer, declined to be a candidate again. Mr. Hoffman was president of the council from 1937 to 1941.

C. A. Heiges, new burgess, presided until after the election of the new president. Preceding the meeting, he administered the oath to three members of the council who were re-elected November 6, George D. March, first ward; L. D. Shealer, second ward and Joseph D. Kendlehart, third ward.

Both Mr. Hoffman and Mr. Oyer were placed in nomination for president, but Mr. Oyer withdrew, declaring that his own business was increasing and he did not feel he could devote the necessary time to the president's position. His withdrawal was accepted by the burgess, and Mr. Hoffman was elected.

Council Committee

The latter announced the appointment of the following committees: Highway, Councilmen L. D. Shealer, Joseph D. Kendlehart and Harry E. Koch.

Safety, Councilmen Harry J. Troxell, George D. March and H. M. Oyer.

Property, Councilmen March, Oyer and Fred A. Hummelbaugh.

Finance, Councilmen Oyer, March and Troxell.

Sewer, Councilmen Vernon B. Corle, Hummelbaugh and Koch.

Ordinances, Councilmen Koch, Kendlehart and Shealer.

Health, Councilmen Hummelbaugh, Corle and Troxell.

Utility, Councilmen Kendlehart, Shealer and Corle.

Council accepted the annual report of Borough Engineer LeRoy H. Winebrenner, which showed the sewer plant cleaned 25 times 64 tanks of chlorine used; 12 dogs and three cats buried; 270 loads of cinders used; 435 loads of ashes collected; eight trees cut and borough equipment painted.

A resolution was adopted fixing the regular meetings of the council the first Monday in each month except when this day falls on a holiday, when the meeting will be held the first Tuesday after the first Monday. Meeting time will be 7:30 p. m. during all months except May, June, July, August and September. In these months the meetings will be held at 8 p. m. Special meetings may be called by the president on his own motion or on the written request of one-third of the members, notice to be mailed or delivered in writing 48 hours prior to the meeting.

Council referred to the finance committee the request of J. Herbert Weikert, tax collector, for exoneration on \$968.79 general and \$244.56 special fund taxes for 1942.

JOSEPH STONER IS RE-ELECTED BY DAIRY GROUP

Joseph A. Stoner, East Berlin R. 2, was re-elected president of the Adams County Dairy Herd Improvement Association Monday night at a special meeting held in the court house.

G. Lawrence Hartman, Aspers R. 1, was named vice president; Walter L. Hay, Gettysburg R. 3, secretary-treasurer, and D. J. Griffie, York Springs R. 2, and John W. Luca-baugh, Hanover R. 1, directors.

The special session was called by the directors when their newly-appointed cost tester, Walter C. Hoke, of Harrisburg, a returned veteran, was unable to assume his duties. Mr. Hoke, scheduled to start work Monday, is suffering from a recurrence of a nervous disorder brought on by the war, and at the advice of his physician had to drop his plans to begin work.

No replacement was named Monday, but the directors decided to immediately institute a search for a new replacement or for the possible training of a county youth who may be interested in the work. The loss of some 50 testers who were loaned to the state during the war who will return in the next few months to their original stations is causing a shortage of qualified testers the committee was told.

Ag. Extension Unit To Meet January 29

The annual meeting of the Adams County Agricultural Extension Association will be held Tuesday, January 29, County Agent M. T. Hartman announced today.

Plans for the program to be held in the Gettysburg high school auditorium are as yet incomplete.

FRANCE SEES CRISIS BEFORE BRIGHTER DAYS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP World Traveler

Paris, Jan. 8.—This isn't la belle France we knew before the war, but a very ill France which has reached the oxygen-tent stage of its crisis and is in that precarious state which no man can say won't get a lot worse before there's a turn for the better.

That isn't meant to be a pessimistic estimate. It is, however, calculated to emphasize the truth that France has been badly hurt, both materially and in spirit. This column would be rendering poor service if it tried to evade the seriousness of the position.

The public is looking for the physician who can heal France—put it another way, for the greater leader who can rescue the country from the political fog in which it is drifting and restore it to former greatness.

Crisis In June

General De Gaulle may be that leader. If he is he may give the nation the new political party for which many are yearning.

The trouble now is that France must get through the oxygen-tent stage of her crisis before the real extent of De Gaulle's leadership can be apparent. He is in a highly unfortunate position at the moment, being handicapped in promulgating policies by the fact that his mandate as head of the government runs only until June, since the assembly was elected for seven months.

The job of the assembly is to frame a new constitution. In June there will be another general election, with a referendum on the constitution.

Then and then only will General De Gaulle know whether he is to be continued in leadership.

Thus the few remaining months before the June election are of vast importance to De Gaulle for consolidation of his ground. So far his leadership has been what may be described as somewhat left of center.

Reds Seek Control

He contemplates some nationalization, such as of banks and the basic public services, but it is said that the transfer will be slow so as not to damage the holdings of the public in the companies. He proposes to proceed carefully in order not to kill the real wealth of the country, but on the other hand to give an opportunity for readjustment later if necessary.

Up to now there has been no persistently concerted opposition to De Gaulle. Even the press has been slow to criticize him. His main opposition has come from the extreme right and the extreme left.

Political observers say that the Communists are aiming at control and hope that they can make a deal with the extreme left Socialists whereby the two parties can win the next election.

LEGION HAS 745 MEMBERS

Membership of Albert J. Lentz Post No. 202, American Legion, reached a new high of 745 Monday night, when 90 additional new members were accepted at the regular post meeting. The number accepted was the largest at any single meeting. It comprised principally veterans of World War 2. The post's quota for 1946 had been set at 692, and Commander W. A. Geiselman declared that the membership probably would reach 1,000 this year.

Commander Geiselman appointed a committee, composed of Paul M. Rohrbach, Lawrence M. Sheads and Eugene Phil, to report on the proposed formation of a new community band. The committee will take the matter up with other organizations and report its findings. The band will not be called a Legion band. However, the post is making plans to form, in the near future, a Legion drum corps.

The annual membership banquet of the post will be held January 16 in the clubrooms. Serving will start at 5 o'clock and continue until all are served. It will be a turkey dinner. Members and their wives or lady friends are invited. The house committee, composed of C. Arthur Bream, Eugene Phil, Dorsey Sowers, Joseph McKenrick and Paul Spangler, will be in charge.

Dr. Gresh Preaches At Service Tonight

The Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Gresh, pastor of St. James Lutheran church, will deliver the sermon at the Week of Prayer service to be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the United Brethren church. The offering will go to the American Bible Society.

Monday evening's service was held in the Church of the Brethren with the Rev. Howard S. Fox, Trinity Evangelical and Reformed pastor, preaching the sermon.

GOES TO FLORIDA

J. Floyd Slaybaugh, county superintendent of schools, is in Lakeland, Fla., for an indefinite stay. Mr. Slaybaugh arrived in the Florida city December 21.

Social Happenings

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The January meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the Presbyterian church which was to have been held this evening has been cancelled.

An important meeting of the Nurses Aides will be held at the Nurses' home at the Warner hospital Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at which time Dr. Bruce N. Wolff will give an illustrated lecture. All aides are requested to attend. They may each bring a guest.

Mrs. Elmer W. Warren, who entertained the members of the Tabern club at a supper-bridge Monday evening at her home on Springs avenue, had as additional guests Mrs. William Kuhn and Mrs. George S. Forney. The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening, January 23, at the home of Mrs. J. C. Donley, Harrisburg street.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Fremont Hall and daughter, Anne, are spending several days with Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. Charles W. Stock, Harrisburg street. They are enroute to New York city where Lt. Col. Hall, who is on terminal leave, will spend a year in the ear, nose and throat department of the Roosevelt hospital.

Mrs. Stock recently received word her son, William Stock, Rm 3/C, left Korea January 2 and is expected to arrive in San Francisco in the near future. His wife is visiting relatives in Greenville, S. C.

The Maude Miller Bible class of St. James Lutheran church will meet at the church this evening at 8:15 o'clock instead of 7:30 as previously announced.

The Thursday Afternoon Bridge club will meet this week with Mrs. R. E. Berkeimver, West Stevens street.

Miss Rose Boyle, of Hazleton, and Raymond Kreidler, of Wilkes-Barre, were week-end guests of Miss Boyle's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Munley, West Lincoln avenue.

Dr. Charles Shuman, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ross Shuman, East Broadway.

Miss Lois Stoner has returned to Pocomo Pines to resume her teaching after the Christmas vacation which she spent with Mr. and Mrs. Mervin U. Bream, North Stratton street.

The Bandar-Log club will meet Friday evening with Mrs. Richard A. Brown, Fairfield road.

The Needlepoint club will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Granville Schultz, Baltimore street.

The Gettysburg Woman's club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the YWCA. Dr. Ralph D. Heim, professor of Christian Education at the Lutheran Theological seminary, will be the guest speaker. Program arrangements are in charge of the Education, Radio and Motion Picture department. The hostess committee includes Mrs. Fred K. Schwartz, Mrs. A. R. Wentz, Mrs. Howard Hartzell, Mrs. Paul Penninger, Mrs. Roy Zinn and Mrs. A. S. Kunkel.

The Hospital Bridge club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. John D. Keith, Carlisle street. A business session will be held at this time.

The board of directors of the Soroptimist club will meet at Hotel Eberhart this evening at 7 o'clock. The monthly business meeting of the club will follow at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hooker and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stewart, Harrisburg, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kauffman, Grandview Terrace. They attended the Martin-Wright wedding at St. James Lutheran church Saturday evening.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Felix and family, Gettysburg R. 1, on Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. William Sontz, Jr., and daughter, Donna, Harney.

Col. Robert Mellin, Washington, D. C., and S. I. George H. Thrush, Baltimore, Md., were guests of Mrs. George H. Thrush, Jr., Springs avenue, over the week-end. Col. Mellin, a Pittsburgh attorney recently was appointed veterans' representative for all of western Pennsylvania.

LEAVES FOR HOSPITAL

Borough Engineer LeRoy H. Winebrenner of Baltimore street, left today for Rochester, Minn., to enter St. Mary's hospital there for a check-up. Mr. Winebrenner underwent a major operation there last fall.

TO REPRESENT C. C.

The board of directors of the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce, at its regular January meeting in its rooms on Baltimore street Monday night, appointed John D. Teeter as representative of the Chamber on the Adams County Welfare organization, which will hold a reorganization meeting at the court house January 17.

Weddings

Maitland-Keefe

Miss Suzanne Keefe became the bride of Calvin Maitland, son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Maitland, West King street, Littlestown, New Year's Eve at a ceremony performed by the bride's pastor, the Rev. D. S. Kammerer, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keefe, South Queen street, Littlestown. The attendants were Miss Barbara Keefe, a sister of the bride, and Russell Maitland, brother of the bridegroom. The bride is a graduate of the Littlestown high school. The bridegroom was recently discharged from the U. S. Marine Corps after having served for five and one-half years.

Hankey-Rankin

Miss Genevieve R. Rankin, daughter of Francis Rankin, Uniontown, and Pfc. Howard "Chubb" E. Hankey, son of Mrs. Nora Hankey, 38 North Franklin street, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Westminster by the Rev. Franklin Brose.

The couple was attended by the bridegroom's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hankey, Gettysburg.

Pfc. Hankey is spending a 90-day furlough at his home after serving more than four years in the army, 14 months of which was spent in England, France and Germany. He has re-enlisted in the army and will report March 5 at Indiantown Gap.

The couple will reside at the bridegroom's home.

DEATHS

Sterling Fanton

Sterling Fanton, 78, Danbury, Conn., died Monday morning of the results of a stroke Saturday.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Ruth Standonien, Westport, Conn., and a daughter, Mrs. J. Earl Plank, Gettysburg R. D. 2.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at Danbury.

Mrs. Levi B. Becker

Mrs. Louisa Katherine Becker, 87, widow of Levi B. Becker, died Sunday morning at 12:15 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George P. Hemler, 331 Main street, McSherrystown. Death was due to pneumonia.

Mrs. Becker was a daughter of the late William and Susannah Flickinger Woods, and was born March 3, 1858. She was a member of Emmanuel Reformed church, Hanover.

Surviving her are the daughter, Mrs. George P. Hemler, with whom she resided; one son, W. W. Becker, New York city; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Funeral Wednesday morning with services conducted at 10 o'clock at the W. A. Feiser funeral home, Carlisle street, Hanover, the Rev. Nevin E. Smith, pastor of Emmanuel Reformed church, officiating. Interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery, Hanover. Friends may call this evening from 7 to 9 o'clock at the Feiser funeral home.

Miss Sarah J. Marshall

Miss Sarah J. Marshall, 87, formerly of Littlestown, died at St. Anne's Home, Columbia, Lancaster county, where she had been a guest for the past two years, at 3 o'clock Monday morning after a brief illness. She was a daughter of the late Aloysius and Julia Klunk Marshall. She was the last surviving member of her family. She was a member of St. Aloysius Catholic church, Littlestown, and of the Blessed Virgin Sodality, the Rosary and Altar Societies of the church.

Members of the various societies will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the J. W. Little and Son home to recite prayers, and friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p. m.

Funeral from the Little funeral home Wednesday at 8:30 a. m., with requiem high mass in St. Aloysius church at 9 a. m., the rector, the Rev. John H. Weber, celebrant. Interment in St. Aloysius cemetery.

JAILED IN HANOVER

David Smith, 24, New Oxford, was arrested by the Hanover police Saturday night on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct as the result of an altercation which occurred in a hotel there. When he appeared before Burgess Oscar J. Kinneman Sunday, he was fined \$25 in default of which he was sent to jail for five days.

RECEIVES PROMOTION

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ecker, Helderberg, have received word their son, Harold, has been promoted to staff sergeant. S. Sgt. Ecker is stationed at Ft. Belvoir, Va.

ENROUTE HOME

Mrs. Paul L. Miller, 33 West Water street, has received word her husband, Coxswain Miller, has sailed from Sasebo, Japan, aboard the USS Elkhart and expects to reach home shortly after February 1.

RECOVERS AFTER ACCIDENT

Lt. Richard D. Sheads, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sheads, Barlow street, who suffered head lacerations in a multiple collision between a truck, trailer and two automobiles at Reistertown, Md., December 28, is fully recovered and is spending a terminal leave from the army at his home.

RIMS ARE STOLEN

Milton H. Hull, New Oxford, has reported to the Hanover police that two chromium rims were stolen off his automobile while the machine was parked in Bank Lane between 8:30 and 12 o'clock Friday night.

57 DEGREES HERE

Mild weather continued here today with the official temperature standing at 57 degrees at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. The low for Monday night was 45 degrees.

TOWN COUNCIL IS REORGANIZED

John W. Deardorff was reelected president of the Biglerville town council at its annual reorganization meeting Monday evening. Other officers were elected as follows: Secretary, Edward Utz, and treasurer J. D. Miller. Swope, Brown and Swope were chosen to serve as attorneys for the year.

The following committees were appointed: Highway, G. W. Koser, Roy Himes and Joseph S. Boyer; finance, G. W. Koser, Roy Himes and Harry Geiselman; property, Hobart Heller, Ralph Shetter and Joseph S. Boyer, and ordinance, Harry Geiselman, Ralph Shetter and Hobart Heller.

A board of health appointed includes the following: Earl Fohl, John R. Fidler, Dr. P. J. McGlynn, Warren K. Enck and Edwin Minter.

The council meets regularly the second Tuesday evening of each month.

Town Streets Get Cleaning

Is January stealing some more of April's prerogatives? The mild weather, continuing today, is more reminiscent of a later month in the year than of a usually blustery and cold opener, and advantage is being taken of it.

Borough employees, for the first time in the memory of residents, in January got out street brooms and a hose today, and washed and "manicured" the business streets and Center Square, streets and sidewalks.

The improvement was decidedly noticeable. The absence of ice and snow made the work possible, and the streets were several shades lighter for the flushing and scraping off of the past few months' accumulation of muck.

Add this one to January foolery—A large swarm of bees buzzing around a tree on the battlefield just off Wainwright avenue.

Other signs of "spring"—The usually winter-stilled brooks and creeks babbling over mossy rocks and grassy beds for all the world like March or April. Next thing someone will be reporting the first robin.

TWO MEN FACE NEW CHARGES

Additional charges were placed today against Oliver W. Kuykendall, Gettysburg R. 3 and Clifford G. Chapman, Orrtanna R. D. 2, two of the five Adams county youths arrested early Sunday morning following an alleged brawl at Mitchell's restaurant, Center Square.

Kuykendall is charged by a waitress at the restaurant with aggravated assault and battery, and Chapman is charged with assault and battery by Edgar Shealer, night manager of the restaurant. Kuykendall and Chapman, with Charles Kuykendall, Gettysburg R. 5, Donald R. Baker, Biglerville R. 2 and Paul McClellan, Biglerville R. 1, will have hearings this afternoon before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder.

Charles Kuykendall is charged with resisting arrest and disorderly conduct; Oliver Kuykendall with disorderly conduct and the new charge; Chapman with resisting arrest, assault and battery and disorderly conduct and Baker and McClellan with disorderly conduct.

Law School Head Will Speak Here

Dr. Earl G. Harrison, dean of the law school of the University of Pennsylvania, has been selected as the speaker for the first community-wide rally to be sponsored here by the Religious Laymen's association of Gettysburg. It was announced Monday evening following a meeting of the key men of the various churches at the YWCA building.

The rally will be held Sunday evening, February 24, at 8 o'clock. Details of arrangements for the affair will be completed at the next meeting of the local group on February 4.

Seventeen men attended Monday's meeting with the president, Dr. Thomas L. Cline, presiding. In addition to making plans for the rally, reports were received on activities of the various branches of the laymen's group in the local churches.

IN POULTRY SHOW

Entries of Dr. Walter H. Danforth will compete for the more than \$15,000 in premiums offered at the 98th annual Boston Poultry Show to be held in Boston Garden from Jan. 16 to 20, Paul Ives, chairman, announced today. Dr. Danforth's birds are among the 6,000 from 30 states and Canada entered in the world's oldest and largest poultry show.

\$5,213 In '45 Taxes Remain Unpaid Here

Pointing out that Gettysburgians still owe \$5,213 in 1945 taxes, J. Herbert Weikert, borough tax collector, reminded the delinquents that a half per cent penalty is being added monthly on the unpaid levies.

Mr. Weikert's records show that \$1,526.66 remains unpaid on the total borough levy of \$39,780.42; \$1,540.92 is outstanding on the county duplicate which totaled \$27,820.62, and \$2,145.42 on the school tax total of \$57,518.70.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Mrs. Robert Stoner, 330 Baltimore street, Charles Clouser, Littlestown; Martha Wolf, Buford avenue, and Mary C. Fuss, Emmitsburg, have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. Mrs. Kermit Funt, Biglerville, has been discharged.

Upper Communities

John H. Stallsmith, S 2/C, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Stallsmith, Biglerville, has returned to his ship at the Philadelphia Naval Yard after spending a 12-day leave with his parents. Miss Eleanor Moritz, who had been with the family for two weeks, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stoner had as guests over the week-end at their home in Biglerville Mr. Stoner's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Warlow, Jr., Mullica, N. J., and his brother, Clarence Stoner, and son, Clarence, Jr., Bentwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walter and son, Frederick, of York, visited Mr. Walter's father, Robert C. Walter, of Biglerville, Sunday. Other guests in the home included Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Gentzler and son, Robert Gentzler, U.S.N.R., who is stationed at Norfolk, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen S. Stauffer, of Biglerville, returned home Monday after spending the Christmas holidays in Bluffton, Ohio, with Mrs. Stauffer's mother, Mrs. A. D. Wells.

Daniel G. Ebbert, S 2/C, has returned to Newport, Long Island, after spending a ten-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ebbert, Biglerville R. D.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beltz and sons, John and Raymond, returned to Philadelphia recently after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Beltz' sister, Mrs. Joseph Stubbs, of Quaker Valley.

Daniel Dentler, who spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. A. Dentler, of Biglerville, has returned to Deland, Florida.

S. A. Ehlman, of the faculty, is in charge of the assembly program which will be presented at the Biglerville high school Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jean Brown, of Harrisburg, spent the week-end at her home in Biglerville.

Members of the Volunteer class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school, Biglerville, met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Earl Crum with Miss Jean Thomas, Mrs. Wesley Hummer and Mrs. John R. Fidler as the associate hostesses. Twenty-six members were present. Plans were made for a covered dish supper to be held in the church basement Tuesday evening, February 12.

Mrs. Milo Gallinger and her daughter, Miss Josephine Couch, entertained at a musicale during the holidays at their home on Guernsey.

Mrs. William M. Lott, Gardners R. D., spent the week-end at Lebanon with her cousin, Mrs. John Bouquet.

Miss Janet Sandoe has resumed her duties as a cadet nurse at the Harrisburg hospital after a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sandoe, of Biglerville. She was accompanied to Harrisburg Monday by her mother and Mrs. David C. Morgan.

Church Members Vote For Merger

During the worship service at the Memorial United Brethren church Sunday 62 members voted for the proposed merger of the United Brethren and Evangelical churches to form the "Evangelical United Brethren" denomination. Two members voted against the union.

The following officers were installed for 1946:

Secretary to the official board, Mrs. Edna Mundorff; financial secretary, Miss Florence Slonaker; church treasurer, Paul Little; Sunday school superintendent, Fred Sanders; assistant, T. U. Geiman; Primary department superintendent, Miss Bertha Swisher; Intermediate department, Miss Florence Slonaker; Cradle Roll department, Mrs. Edna Mundorff; Home department, Miss Emma Howard; secretaries, the Misses Romona and Thelma Drake; treasurer, George Beamer; librarians, Teddy Haller and Buddy Miller; chorister, T. U. Geiman; pianist, Mrs. Donald Reel, and assistant pianist, Miss June Sanders.

Kermil J. Funt Has Re-Enlisted

Kermil J. Funt, Biglerville, 28-year-old veteran of infantry action in the European theater, re-enlisted in the army at Harrisburg today. He had received his discharged October 2 after serving two years as a rifleman.

During his service in World War II, Funt received the Good Conduct medal, European Theater ribbon, the Purple Heart medal with one cluster, the Victory Medal and the American Defense ribbon.

He is married and the father of three children.

Arendtsville

Mrs. Belle Warren has received word of the promotion of her son, Bill, to sergeant. Sgt. Warren is stationed in Naples, Italy, where he has clerical duties.

Mrs. Aaron Weidner will entertain the Carnation Guild at her home Thursday afternoon.

At a meeting of the Women's Guild of the Zion Reformed church Monday evening it was decided to make a drive for used clothing for European and Asiatic relief. The final day of the drive will be Jan. 20. Clothing may be left at the church or at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Sheely.

Miss Marjorie Bargar, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Mary Boyer and Mrs. Martha Sower.

Concrete floors are being laid in the shoe factory being erected in town. In a short time the building will be ready for the installing of the machinery.

LIONS TO ATTEND REGIONAL MEET

Plans for a regional Lions meeting in Shippensburg Monday, January 28, were announced at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Gettysburg Lions club Monday evening and Radford Lippy, S. F. Swope and Richard Warren were appointed as a committee to arrange transportation. The affair will be a ladies' night.

D. E. Hess, chairman of the club's welfare committee, was directed to represent the Lions at the reorganization meeting of the Adams County Welfare committee at the court house on January 17.

President Glenn L. Bream appointed Richard S. Codori as an additional member of the club's committee on the collection of clothing in the current Victory Clothing Collection. Kenneth P. Hull announced that the turkey sale project before Christmas netted the club \$277.39.

A reel of motion pictures showing the reconversion of General Motors plants from wartime production to the manufacture of autos and other peacetime products was shown by Richard Warren, in charge of the program for the evening.

President Glenn L. Bream presided at the meeting with 47 Lions and guests in attendance. The guests were Lt. Richard Sheads, son of Lion Robert Sheads, and Marine Sgt. Robert Troxell, son of Lion Fred G. Troxell.

A meeting of the board of directors and a series of committee sessions were held after the club session.

STOCKHOLDERS

(Please Turn to Page Two) tional bank, York Springs, were re-elected at a stockholders' meeting this morning. Those re-elected include: George E. Deatrick, Seright Nell, Guy E. Bream, T. N. Cashman and W. M. Weidner. The board re-organized, retaining the officers who served during the past year, including: George E. Deatrick, president; Seright Nell, vice president; W. M. Weidner, cashier; E. S. Guise and P. D. Bubb, assistant cashiers.

A total of 869 shares of a total of 1,000 were voted.

Bendersville National Bank
The Bendersville National bank directors were elected at a stockholders' meeting this morning. They include H. L. Sterner, John B. Wenk, Frank Garretson, Philip Houck, G. M. Stock, and William M. Lott and Robert W. Shafer. The board re-elected the following: H. L. Sterner, president, and John B. Wenk, vice president.

L. W. Kuhn was re-elected secretary and cashier. Assistant cashier are Dale G. Crum and Mrs. Kathryn Tuckey. The stenographer is Miss June K. Peters.

Arendtsville National Bank
The stockholders of the Arendtsville National bank this morning re-elected the following directors: S. G. Bucher, R. H. Shull, G. F. Smith, C. E. Taylor and W. A. Raffensperger. New directors are: G. A. Slaybaugh and M. LeRoy Zeigler. The board organized immediately electing S. G. Bucher, president; C. E. Taylor, vice president; A. E. Orner, cashier; W. A. Raffensperger, assistant cashier; Mrs. Mildred McBeth, teller, and Dorothy Taylor, clerk.

A total of 4,496 of the 5,000 shares of common stock was voted.

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PHILLIES COOK DIAMOND DEALS; WANTED COOPER

By JACK PEARSON

Philadelphia, Jan. 8 (P)—Housing shortages notwithstanding, the Philadelphia Phillies are ready to tear up their long-term lease on the National league's cellar.

General Manager Herb Pennock hasn't announced their new address yet, but he says they're all packed up, ready to leave the musty confines of No. 8, last place.

When Pennock took over the Phil front office, he announced that "we now have the money, if anybody wants to sell." So far, nobody, not even Sam Breadon of the St. Louis Cardinals, seems to have taken him too seriously.

Pennock, who had declared "we'll top anybody's offer," was disappointed by the Cards' sale of catcher Walker Cooper to the New York Giants for \$175,000 last week.

"We wanted Cooper," he admitted. "I think we might have bid higher if we had known we'd have him this spring, but Cooper is in the service and we wanted him now, not in July or September."

After Marion Too

Pennock also has been disappointed in his attempts to get shortstop Marty Marion away from the Cards. However, he says he didn't feel too badly when the Redbirds traded infielder Jimmy Brown to Pittsburgh. He explained he felt Jimmy has been around too long to do the Phils much good.

Cincinnati is the only National league club expressing a willingness to do business with the Phils so far. The Reds parted with Frank McCormick, their veteran first baseman, who Pennock feels will give a lot of balance to the Phils' young infielders.

Other hot stove league deals have brought the Phillies outfielder Lou Novikoff from Los Angeles; infielders "Skeeter" Newsome from Boston, Johnny O'Neill from Portland, and Ken he hit 311 last year and when Richardson from Hollywood, Pitches Buck Ross and Johnny Humphries were acquired from the Chicago White Sox, and Charley Rippel will be up from Utica, where he won 17 and lost 5.

YOUNG REVEALS HE HAS OFFER

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 8 (P)—Claude

(Buddy) Young, former University of Illinois track and football star who helped pace the Navy's Fleet City, California, grid squad last fall, is worried about his future education—and athletics.

Young, who went into the navy about a year ago after two semesters of big ten athletics with the Illinois in 1944 stopped here yesterday and announced he has had "offers" from 25 to 30 schools to play football and run on the track.

The negro sprinter from Chicago, who has been clocked in 9.5 seconds in the 100-yard dash, and whose football prowess both with Illinois and Fleet City rivals that of many better known stars, made no secret of the fact he was considering transferring his collegiate allegiance to a west coast school.

Young worked out with the Illinois track squad in the Illinois fieldhouse here yesterday. Afterwards he said he was seriously considering transferring to the University of California at Los Angeles.

"I expect to be discharged within a few months, perhaps in April," he said. "They (UCLA) have promised me they'd find me a lucrative job after I graduate if I go to school there. They did that for Kenny Washington (former UCLA colored football star).

"I like Illinois and I like UCLA," he said. Then he added: "I've also had offers to play with two teams in the all-America conference."

He referred to the newly organized professional grid circuit.

Six Teams Pass 100,000 Attendance

(By The Associated Press)

The St. Louis Flyers and Providence Reds, neither of which is considered a flag contender in the American Hockey league race, are among the six teams who have passed the 100,000 mark in attendance at the halfway mark of the campaign.

The Flyers, who meet the Reds in St. Louis in the only scheduled game tonight, trail only the Cleveland Barons and the Buffalo Bisons, leaders in the eastern division, at the gate. St. Louis, cellar club of the western section, has attracted 132,857 customers in 17 home games. The Barons, third in the western division, top the field with a total of 154,702 in 15 home tilts. Buffalo is next with 137,687. Hershey, runner-up to the Bisons in the eastern half, is fourth with 124,243. Indianapolis is next with 118,563 followed by the Reds with 108,889.

Pittsburgh, tied with Indianapolis for the western lead, is surprisingly low with only a total 77,700 attendance for 16 home games. New Haven, last among the easterners in the standings is also at the bottom in attendance with 57,200 in 18 home games.

Hoosman Evens Savold Defeat

New York, Jan. 8 (P)—A little over a month ago Manager Jimmy Johnston watched his highly touted Al Hoosman take a lacing from veteran Lee Savold and calmly remarked that his boy was still a little green but would make up for that defeat before long.

Last night, Hoosman, a lanky heavyweight, made Johnston look like a prophet as he handed the 2 to 1 favored Savold a first class shellacking in their return 10-round in Madison Square Garden.

The six-foot, five-inch Los Angeles Negro, who had been unbeaten in 25 pro fights until he ran up against the hook specialist from Des Moines and Paterson, N. J., piled up points in almost monotonous fashion with a flicking left and a chopping right that had Savold constantly baffled. Hoosman scaled 193½ to Savold's 196.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, Jan. 8 (P)—Presy pants Rowland again is broadcasting that the Pacific Coast league will attain a major status almost any season now, but some of the big leaguers who turned down his bid last month maintain it won't be for four or five years.

The Cubs' Jim Gallagher explained it this way: "We hope the Coast league will be a major league because that will mean 600 major league baseball jobs instead of 400 and there would be that much more incentive for kids to play baseball. But now those fellows can't pay major league expenses out of their gate receipts."

Take a player like Joe DiMaggio, for instance. They could pay him for his first few major league seasons while he drew \$7,500 or less, but when his salary got up to \$42,000, how could they take that out of a \$90,000 payroll and have anything left for the rest of the team?"

UNDUE INFLUENCE

Sgt. Ray Schwartz, sports editor of the India-Burma "Roundup" reports receiving a letter from a Florida girl telling about the record of Frank Thomas, Alabama football coach. "Ordinarily," says Ray, "I would take no heed, but she weakened my resistance by enclosing some locks of her blonde hair."

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Oarsman Jack Kelly, Jr., had his dad send a shell down from Philadelphia to the Bainbridge, Md., naval training center so he can work out daily on the Susquehanna in preparation for taking a crack at the Diamond Sculls. Looks as if the Cards should have made that deal for Walker Cooper on Columbus Day. Their most promising prospect seems to be young John Garagiola from the Columbus, O., club, and another possibility is L. Del Wilber, who is due to get his army discharge in time to report to the Cards' training camp. He formerly caught for Columbus, Ga.

NELSON IS OFF TO GOOD START

Los Angeles, Jan. 8 (P)—Mr. Big of Golf—Byron Nelson, that is—is off a-wing on the 1946 tournament trail.

Lord Byron, as automatic as ever, won the 20th annual Los Angeles open yesterday with 284 for the 72-hole tour of the Riviera course. And as the golfing fraternity picked up sticks and left for the San Francisco open, which starts tomorrow, the burning question was: Who's gonna stop him?

His 71-69-72-72 added up five strokes better than Benny Hogan's 289, and nobody threatened Nelson after Sam Snead, defending champion, and Jim Ferrier, Chicago, faded after trailing by only two strokes at the end of 54 holes.

Nelson's first prize was \$2,666.67 in victory bonds. Hogan, of Hershey, Pa., took \$1,866.67 for second place.

Wins 20 Tourneys

Nelson, the Toledo, O., umbrella salesman, posted the same score, 284, as he did last year when Snead beat him by one stroke. Snead took a 78 on the final 18 yesterday and finished with 292—tied for 10th.

Nelson now has won 20 of his last 25 major tournaments. But this was particularly satisfying. The Los Angeles open title had eluded him in 12 previous tries.

By all except those who had to play against Lord Byron, it was considered the most successful renewal of the tourney. Attendance for the four day meet topped 30,000.

Basket Ball Scores

(By The Associated Press)

Ellis Island Coast Guard, 66; St. Alban's naval hospital, 47.

Lincoln University (Phila.), 55; Winston Salem State Teachers' (N. C.), 30.

George Washington, 45; Georgetown, 43.

The western meadow lark is one of the most useful of insect-eating birds in America.

Peanuts can be spun into fiber and woven into cloth that will wear as well as wool.

COUNTY TEAMS PLAY TONIGHT

Eight county scholastic basketball teams are scheduled to see action tonight.

Coach George Forney's Gettysburg high cagers will attempt to get back into their winning stride when they meet Carlisle on the latter's court. Carlisle, a member of the northern division of the South Penn league, lost to Mechanicsburg last Friday evening. The Jayvee teams will play at 7 o'clock.

Three Adams County Scholastic league games are on schedule this evening. New Oxford plays at East Berlin, Biglerville journeys to Fairfield while Arendtsville plays at Littlestown.

Delone Catholic will entertain Harrisburg Catholic at McSherrystown.

On Wednesday the Gettysburg college courtmen will seek their fourth in a row when Western Maryland is met at Westminster.

Lincoln school's cagers are scheduled to play the Biglerville high jayvees at Biglerville Wednesday afternoon.

HARRIDGE SEES BASEBALL BOOM

(This is the first of a series, written expressly for the Associated Press by sports leaders, in which prospects for 1946 are discussed.)

By WILL HARRIDGE
President, the American Baseball League

Chicago, Jan. 8 (P)—The most interesting chapter in baseball history will be written into the 1946 records.

The returns of scores of former stars, the bid for recognition of new players, the re-establishment of the all-star game, the home-coming of millions of fans who have been in service will combine to get our national game off to a flying start in its first peacetime pennant race since 1941.

The four war-time seasons which ended with the 1945 world's series themselves were notable in many ways. Millions of fans loyally supported every major league club, all of which were decidedly off in caliber of play. Yet, battles for the pennants were close, games were hard fought and scores of older players and youngsters did splendid jobs of filling in for the stand-out performers in the armed forces.

Yet, there is no real substitute for "class" in baseball. The return of such stars as Joe DiMaggio and Joe Gordon, Johnny Pesky, Bob Feller, Barney McCosky, Ted Williams and Walter Judnich, to mention a few, will inject new vigor into the game. Add to that group the many younger performers we know are coming out of the service and baseball will have had a start toward a fine season.

The American League already has listed on its active rosters the names of 110 players who served in the armed forces. Many of them had fine minor league records when they answered the call to the colors, and many are now ready to battle for regular jobs. I foresee the keenest fight for positions in the American League's history when the spring camps open in February.

Fights Last Night

Kansas City—Tony Zale, 162½, Gary, Ind., knocked out Bobby Giles, 162½, Buffalo, N. Y. (4). (Non-title).

New York—Al Hoosman, 193½, Los Angeles, outpointed Lee Savold, 196, Paterson, N. J. (10).

Providence, R. I.—Charles (Cabe) Lewis, 129½, New York, knocked out Larry Bolvin, 127½, Providence (10).

Baltimore—Frankie Carto, 130, Philadelphia, outpointed Freddie Russo, 132, Rahway, N. J. (10).

Chicago—Bill Parsons, 145, Danville, Ill., outpointed Art Brown, 149½, Chicago (8).

Holyoke, Mass.—Johnny Finazzo, 166, Baltimore, outpointed St. Paul, 170, Springfield, Mass. (10).

Newark, N. J.—Pat Giordano, 152½, Montreal, outpointed Irish Jiggs Donohue, 154½, Philadelphia (10).

New Britain, Conn.—Gabby Poulie, 145, New Britain, outpointed Art Shepard, 147, New York (8).

2,000 Attended Funeral Of Woolf

Arcadia, Calif., Jan. 8 (P)—More than 2,000 friends of George Woolf, out of America's great jockeys, paid their last respects to him yesterday.

Woolf, who died from a skull fracture suffered last week when a horse threw him, was buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Glendale. Occupying the first three rows of Arcadia community church were 60 honorary pallbearers, jockeys and ex-jockeys, facing a huge floral display. Many of the boys broke down and cried as Gene Autrey, comboy actor, and his quartet sang "The Last Roundup."

Said the Rev. J. A. Schlichting, pastor of the Mt. Olive Lutheran church in Pasadena:

"George Woolf's honesty and integrity never have been questioned. This is his monument: He was a helper of both the little man and the big man."

High School Senior League

CAGE STANDING

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Okl. A. and M.	2	0	1.000
Alabama	1	1	.500
Texas A. and M.	1	1	.500
Rhode Island	0	0	.000

Monday's Games

Okl. A. and M.-Rhode Island	G.	F.	P.
Trostle, f	0	0	0
Buecher, f	0	0	0
Keefer, f	0	0	0
Hockey, c	2	0	4
Leach, g	5	3	13
Heyser, g	0	1	1
Dubbs, g	1	0	2

Totals 8 4 29

Rhode Island	G.	F.	P.
Mattling, f	5	1	11
Hoffman, f	0	0	0
McKendrick, f	3	0	6
Stern, c	1	0	2
Moser, g	3	0	6
Stultz, g	1	0	2
Tipton, g	1	0	2

Totals 14 1 18

Score by quarters:

Rhode Island	3	3	10	2-18
Okl. A. and M.	8	8	8	5-29

Referee, Ridinger; scorers, Eberhart, Gormley.

(Alabama-Tex. A. and M.)

Alabama	G.	F.	P.
Dietch, f	0	0	1
Perry, f	0	0	1
Gormley, f	0	0	0
Trussel, c	2	0	4
Scott, c	1	1	3
Doersom, g	0	0	0
Miller, g	2	0	4

Totals 6 1-6 3

Tex. A. and M.	G.	F.	P.
Redding, f	1	0	0
Myrick, f	0	0	0
McDonnell, c	1	0	0
Goulden, g	2	1	5
Lewis, g	4	0	2
Woods, g	0	0	0
Keefer, g	0	0	1
Redding, g	0	1	0

Totals 8 2-4 18

Score by quarters:

Alabama	2	2	5	4-13
Tex. A. and M.	6	5	2	5-18

Referee, Ridinger; scorers, Bucher, Dubbs; timekeeper, Hockey.

Longden Winners Make Nearly Million

New York, Jan. 8 (P)—It is one of the bitter ironies of racing that George "the Iceman" Woolf should be killed the same week his longtime pal, Johnny Longden, was recognized as the jockey who came closest in the racing history to winning a million dollars in one year with his mounts.

The cold figures show the 180-geezes the little fellow, with the wizened face booted home picked up a fancy \$981,977, which is doing a whole lot better than bad for a kid who had to stow away in a boxcar to get to the tracks out Salt Lake City way when he first came to the races back in the mid-20's.

The tiny English-born saddle star, who likes mostly to bring them out of there a-whooping when the starter gives that "come on, now"—and keep them on top all the way 'round—has been so consistent, year after year, that he has taken more races than any jockey in American turf history. With his 180 in 1945, he now has piled up 2,418 firsts in 19 years of riding in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

January's Thaw Swelling Streams

Pittsburgh, Jan. 8 (P)—Slowly-rising rivers, fed by January's near-record thaw, were expected to reach a crest of 22 feet at the Point by noon today—three feet below the 25-foot flood crest.

The waters started rising yesterday at about one-tenth of a foot an hour.

Somerset and Cambria counties reported swollen streams had begun spreading over low banks, threatening high water in the Stonycreek and Conemaugh rivers there.

In southern Somerset county, the Casselman river was streaming over Route 53, near Confluence, making the highway impassable.

The weather bureau, however, predicted an abrupt end to the thaws, with the temperature expected to drop to between 30 and 32 degrees today.

Sheffield has become the center of the alloy and special steel industry in England.

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Thursday Night, January 10 7:00 O'clock

3 living room suites, beds, springs, mattresses, dressers, 2 Remington typewriters, roll top desk, 2 sectional bookcases, green enamel coal range, 2 electric refrigerators in good condition, 75 filing cabinets, paint of all kinds and colors, carpets, rugs and chairs, 3 musical instruments, breakfast set, girl's bicycle, electric washer, 3 radios and lots of other household items.

M. L. DITZLER
Ditzler's Auction Room
Biglerville, Pa.

MARSE JOE HAS JOB SEPARATING THE GOOD ONES

By GAYLE TALBOT

New York, Jan. 8 (P)—Joe McCarthy puffed complacently on a good cigar and refused to worry about the terrific job he faces next month in trying to sort out some 70 ball players, in the Yankees' two Florida training camps.

"It's not going to be as bad as some people seem to think," he said during a lull in yesterday's press conference at the Yankee offices, when the appointment of Red Rolfe as the club's No. 1 coach was announced. "It won't be bad on a club like ours, where there are plenty of good ball players."

"Sure, it's going to be difficult to pick the best 25 or 30 players out of such a huge squad, but we'll have a lot of time to make our decisions, and the good ones have a way of coming to the top. Mistakes will be made, I suppose. I might overlook some fine players. But if I do they won't be lost to us. They'll still be on one of our farm clubs."

Some Never Seen

Joe estimated there would be some 25 candidates at St. Petersburg and Bradenton whom he either had not seen play in the past three years or never had seen in action.

"Frankly," he continued, "I'm not so much worried about recognizing the new talent as I am detecting whether some of our older stars might have reached or passed their peak while they were in the service. It's entirely possible that some of them did. They are the ones who are going to be in my own camp at St. Petersburg and who will make the training tour through Texas with me."

"About the only thing I've got to worry about now is all the married men on our roster," Joe smiled. "There must be 50 of them, and every last one wants to take his wife to Florida. That's okay with me, but they also would like for us to arrange living quarters for them, and it simply can't be done. There isn't a room or apartment available."

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To enjoy northern snow sports—



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Emmitsburg

Emmitsburg—Mr. and Mrs. George Constantine and family, of Washington, D. C., spent the New Year holiday with Mrs. Constantine's mother, Mrs. Charles Rosensteel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Topper entertained New Year's Day, Miss Carmen Austin, Taneytown; Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Topper and daughter, Patsy, Mt. Airy, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stoner and family, and Miss Katharine Topper.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bower and daughter, Virginia, Taneytown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bower and daughter, Patty Jean, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ash and daughter, Judy, visited in Baltimore Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr spent a week over the holidays touring the south. They attended the North-South football game in Montgomery, Alabama, and the Sugar Bowl game in New Orleans, La. They also visited a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, the latter the former Miss Amy Ohler, in New Orleans.

Miss Evelyn Fisher, Richmond Hill, N. Y., visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bollinger, over the week-end and attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Fisher, at Graceham, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holbert Poole, Jr., Silver Spring, spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bollinger.

Pfc. Jerry Syder has received his honorable discharge after serving 21 months, with 14 months spent in New Guinea and Leyte. He has received the Asiatic-Pacific, Philippine Liberation and Good Conduct medals. Also American Defense, Victory Ribbon and two battle stars. He is now residing with his wife and four children on East Main street.

Scoutmaster Greta Keilholz entertained the Boy Scouts at his cabin near Tom's Creek recently by hiking to the cabin and then serving either at St. Pete or Bradenton, outside of our hotel accommodations. It looks like the boys will be bachelors down there."

Hemorrhoids! Ow!!

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EXPECT CEASE FIRING ORDER IN CHINA SOON

Chungking, Jan. 8 (P)—China's

truce committee approached final agreement for cessation of hostilities at a lengthy discussion this afternoon.

Government and communist representatives issued a communique stating "the major portion of the problems have been settled and certain details remain to be discussed and disposed of."

The communique was issued after a three hour and 40 minute meeting with General Marshall, President Truman's special envoy to China, who presided. The third meeting of the committee, it followed a three-hour morning session.

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Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

LOST ARTISTRY

In winters of the long ago,
When I was but a lad,
To sleep in bedrooms cold we'd
go.
Since only stoves we had,
Then, through the night on every
pane
Were etched with artistry
Tall ships, full sail, upon the main,
For us to wake to see.

All winter long, for young and old,
With an exquisite skill
Were painted scenes in pure white
gold
Above each window sill.
Those joys of which a youngster
dreams—
Tall oaks and stout of limb,
And clover fields and silver streams,
In frost were drawn for him.

But now, the children's rooms are
warm,
And warm the window pane,
And little of the passing storm
Can long in view remain.
The wonder-work of old Jack Frost
Few youngsters now may see,
Since something lovely has been lost
That once belonged to me.

Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

BOOKS ARE CONTACTS

To keep alert, to constantly grow in mind and spirit, and to be ever abreast of the time and tide of affairs, we must make contacts—with people, towns, cities, countries, and books. Perhaps the latter is the most important of all, for one can travel the earth, and talk with its ablest and greatest, through books.

In a recent book on the Cossacks, by Maurice Hindus, he tells of this remarkable organization, and singles out a Gen. Nikolay Kirichenko, who remarked to the author that "With-out books a man withers away." Also he said that the Cossack "does not permit himself to stagnate."

Stagnation is the result of a refusal to circulate, to seek, to inquire, and to contact the many sources that refresh the mind, beautify it, and keep it healthy.

Books are contacts. From them we gather most of our silent friends, who soothe our spirit under all circumstances, and who always await our call, our consideration and our appreciation. They never intrude upon us. We seek them out. I like that phrase: "Books Once Were Men." But, of course, women, too. George Barr McCutcheon once wrote a little book with this title. He was not only a writer of books, but a lover and collector of the rare and precious ones.

There is something the matter with a town that doesn't have its well-furnished book store. Such a store is worth a dozen policemen! Books keep folks out of trouble, and console them when they do get into trouble, or have trouble thrust upon them.

Montaigne said of his books that "they are at my elbow to delight me when time shall serve; and in acknowledging what assistance they give unto my life." He further said: "I never travel without books." Certainly no other companions are so welcome or so stimulating. No other contacts offer so much for so little.

It is impossible to estimate the influence that some books have had. Many a book has altered the thought of the world. Many have become perpetual classics. To contact them has enriched all mankind. None of us can live richly—without books.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "This New Year."

Geometry, algebra, and analysis are the three principal branches of mathematics.

When Chopin died in 1849, his coffin was sprinkled with Polish earth in recognition of his great love for his country.

The Almanac

Jan. 9—Sun rises 7:22; sets 4:52.
Moon sets 11:28 p. m.
Jan. 10—Sun rises 7:22; sets 4:53.
Moon sets in morning.
MOON PHASES
Jan. 10—First Quarter.
Jan. 17—Full Moon.
Jan. 25—Last Quarter.

Out Of The Past

From the Files of the
Star and Sentinel and
The Gettysburg Times

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Fire Company Meeting: The fire company held its annual election on Friday evening. The following officers were elected: President, Charles W. Holzworth; vice president, Daniel Sell; recording secretary, William Codori; financial secretary, J. Harry Holzworth; treasurer, J. E. McCammon; foreman, W. S. Schroder; first assistant, Harry Yeagy; second assistant, Harry Aughinbaugh.

A motion prevailed to buy \$40 worth of gum coats.

Carl M. Rupp, Jr. Edward McCammon, J. M. Minnigh, Charles H. Wilson and S. A. Troxell were appointed a committee to appear before Town Council and request the purchase of a heater for the steam engine.

For Rent: Room now occupied by Red Men. Amos Eckert.

Marriages: Hartman-Felix: Jan. 5, in the Reformed church at Cash-town, by Rev. J. F. Mackley, Harry A. Hartman, of Arendtsville, to Miss Sarah S. Felix, of Cashtown.

Cashman-Wampler: Jan. 3, at the bride's home, by Rev. U. A. Hankey, Ezra A. Cashman, of Huntington township, to Miss Annie M. Wampler, of Bendersville.

Fligle-Collins: Dec. 25, at Bon-neauville, by Rev. M. J. McBride, William N. Fligle, of Bonneauville, to Miss Sarah L. Collins, of Two Taverns.

Lauver-Bream: Dec. 26, at Ida-ville, by Rev. W. G. Siffer, George D. Lauver, of Latimore township, to Miss Blanche M. Bream, of Hun-tington township.

Ziegler-Hank: Jan. 1, at Abbotts-town, by Rev. Orville V. Long, Wm. H. Ziegler, of Bignont, Pa., to Miss Lucy Hank, of Davidsburg, Pa.

Walker-Scott: A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of the parents, at Fairplay, on Tuesday, December 24, 1895. The contracting parties were Mr. Stewart C. Walker and Miss Mary E. Scott, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Scott, of Freedom township. The groomsmen were Mr. J. Luther Hos-pelhorn, and the bridesmaid, Miss Jennie Scott. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wm. Simonton, D.D., of Emmitsburg.

Boyer-Lott: On Tuesday evening one hundred and fifty relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. Cornelius Lott in Cumberland township to witness a marriage which united two of the old and representative families of the county. The bride was Miss Elizabeth Lott and the groom was Mr. William W. Boyer, of Straban township. The ceremony was performed at six o'clock, by the Rev. Hugh W. Gilchrist, pastor of the Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. D. T. Koser, of Arendtsville. The ushers were J. Kerr Lott and George Boyer.

The bride wore a beautiful cream gown trimmed with satin ribbon and lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet also of lilies of the valley. At the conclusion of the ceremony congratulations were tendered the happy couple, and a delicious supper was served. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns, ivy and potted plants.

After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Boyer will make their home in Ar-endsville, where the groom is a successful business man.

Local Miscellany: The dynamo in the power plant has been shipped to Pittsburgh for repairs, and the town is in darkness.

There are 15 families in town whose children are not permitted to attend the public schools because of the prevalence of scarlet fever.

The Red Men will move their hall to the third story of the Compiler building.

The new year was ushered in by the ringing of the bells of the town. The band played at midnight and also during the day.

The calls at the Hanover Tele-phone Exchange now average a thousand a day. Gettysburg's busi-ness people should see how the sys-tem would be used in our town. We should have it.

Personal Mention: Calvin Culp, of York, was here last week.
J. Emory Bair and wife spent New Year in Hanover.

The Rev. W. S. Van Cleave gave a dinner on Thursday to the mem-bers of the sessions of the Upper Marsh Creek and the Big Conowago churches. Those present were: H. P. and William Bigham, Clarke Mar-shall, Robert Blythe, J. Upton Neely, W. A. McIlhenny, Henry Sanders and Jacob Weaver, Jeremiah Schriver and Robert Melthenny, trustees, were also present.

The Rev. M. H. Valentine and his wife, of Philadelphia, spent several days last week with Dr. and Mrs. Valentine.

The Rev. W. A. Martin, of Harris-burg, was home for a short visit last week to his parents, Captain and Mrs. W. J. Martin.

Charles M. Young is on a trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Blanche Crawford, of Hag-erstown, spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Craw-ford.

Miss Anna Gillilan, of Emmits-burg, is spending a few days with Miss Iva Sefton.

C. A. Blocher and family left Tues-day morning for Hawthorne, Flor-

PRICE BOOSTS MAY CLEAR UP MANY STRIKES

By HAROLD W. WARD

Washington, Jan. 8 (AP)—Hints of some government-approved price increases cropped up in the troubled labor scene today, but their effect remained uncertain.

Top government wage-price ad-ministrators and their staffs con-ferred at length on the possibility of granting price concessions to the steel and meat packing industries in time to avert strikes scheduled for January 14 and 15, respectively.

Both industries insist they need higher prices to meet CIO union demands for wage increases ap-proximating 30 per cent.

A third strike, among 200,000 CIO-United Electrical Workers at General Electric, General Motors and Westinghouse, is set for Janu-ary 15. But the price question has not yet been raised actively in that dispute.

Inability to pay is not an argu-ment, either, in the General Motors strike or, 175,000 CIO-Auto Workers since November 21, or in the three and one-half month dispute of some 40,000 CIO-Oilworkers whose September strike led to navy seizure action. Wage increases of approxi-mately 30 per cent are sought by both unions.

Strike Picture
Nevertheless, in all except the electrical dispute there were fast-breaking developments, any one of which might lead to settlement of one or more of the wage deadlocks.

Here is the way the price con-ferences and other Washington de-velopments fit into the strike pic-ture:

Steel—Hopeful that pace-setting U. S. Steel corporation will make an offer during the final week before the scheduled strike, the govern-ment is trying to clear the way so this can happen. A good offer could lead to resumption of collective bar-gaining, as requested by the Presi-dent's fact-finding panel, and might avert or shorten next week's strike action.

Meat—Packing—Top priority is being given to reaching a policy decision so conciliation director Ed-gar L. Warren can lay a govern-ment-backed compromise plan be-fore conciliation conferences in Chicago Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. A strike of 200,000 Pack-ing-house Workers, and possibly another 135,000 AFL Meat Cutters, rests on this conference.

Other Disputes
General Motors—Patterns fixed in steel, meat packing and oil may influence settlement of this six-week strike of 175,000 CIO-Auto Workers. On the other hand, it is just as likely that the President's fact-finding panel named for this dis-cpute will cut the die for the others when it reports to Mr. Truman—perhaps tomorrow or Thursday. The consensus of labor-management opinion is that the board will recom-mend an increase of 15 to 18 per cent. The union is asking 30 per cent.

Oil—The fact-finding board con-cluding its hearings in the CIO-Oilworkers' dispute with some 20 companies planned to hear living cost figures from the bureau of labor statistics today. Most of the companies involved ignored the board, saying they are negotiating plant-by-plant contracts.

The wage increase pattern already set for this industry, according to both sides, is 18 per cent, but other issues have crept into the dispute to delay the release of 36 refineries still held by the navy.

Government officials watched with interest, meanwhile, possible effects of the settlement last night between the Kaiser-Frazer Corp. and the CIO-Auto Workers at the Willow Run operations recently taken over from Ford. The new wage rate will total \$1.19 an hour at the outset, about seven cents more than Gen-eral Motors' present rate.

Slowdown Called
Breach Of Faith

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 8 (AP)—The announced slowdown of demobiliza-tion by the army "comes pretty close to breach of faith with all of the American people," says Representa-tive Daniel J. Flood (D-Pa.).

The congressman asserted last night that "Congress has too long delayed an investigation of the army demobilization program."

Flood said he knows no reason "why every man overseas entitled to come home, and every man in the coun-try entitled to discharge, should not be on the way home."

"I wonder," Flood told newsmen, "if this is army brass laying an early groundwork of argument in their coming drive for extension of the selective service act and uni-versal military conscription."

Mr. Harry Rupp left on Saturday for Canton, Ohio, where he will resume his duties in the McCor-mick reaper works.

Will Livers and Simon Codori, Jr., are at home.

Mr. C. F. Hartzell and wife and two sons, and Miss Sallie Hamilton have returned from Nachusa, Illi-nois, after a nine months' residence in that state. Mr. H. says the old Keystone State is the best place to reside.

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Things Of The Soil

By DAN P. VAN GORDER
The Gettysburg Times Agricultural Editor

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January—Lawn, Garden And Farm

1. Begin the New Year with a resolution to keep simple book re-cords of garden, poultry and general farm costs.

2. Order day-old chicks for spring broilers and late summer layers.

3. Shake heavy snows from orna-mental evergreens.

4. Build coldframes and hotbeds; they will be needed soon.

5. Write nurseries and seed firms for annual catalogues. These are true guides to better things.

6. Keep the Christmas poinsettia liberally watered and protected until the leaves die back naturally.

7. Continue daily feeding of song and upland game birds.

8. Watch young fruit trees for attacks by field mice when snows cover the ground.

9. Put a few more paper-white narcissus bulbs in bowls of water for winter bloomings.

10. Keep laying hens supplied with fresh green feed daily to pro-mote flock health and maximum egg production.

11. Inspect stored vegetables (root crops) and ornamental bulbs and tubers for decayed specimens.

12. Order flower and vegetable seeds early to obtain prompt del-iveries and better quality seeds.

13. Include at least one raw (un-cooked) vegetable in the family diet each day to keep nutritional levels high.

14. Place fertilizer orders with your local dealer for delivery at once.

15. Talk with neighbors about buying northern-grown certified seed potatoes cooperatively.

16. Pot lily-of-the-valley slips and place the container in a sunny win-dow for fragrant indoor bloomings.

17. Estimate spraying material needs for the coming season and consult your local dealer about ordering.

18. Watch indoor plants closely for insect attacks.

19. Use salt carefully for melting snow and ice from walks near plants and grass susceptible to salt in-juries.

20. Serve tomato or citrus fruit juices daily when fresh fruits are scarce.

21. Order blackberry, raspberry and dewberry plants for late Febru-ary or early March delivery.

22. Prune grape vines on a mild day when the canes are not frozen and before sap begins to rise.

23. Inspect lilacs for San Jose scales and apply lime-sulphur con-centrate spray when the tempera-ture is above freezing.

24. Orchard pruning should be completed before time to apply dor-mant sprays arrives.

25. Prune most late flowering ornamental shrubs.

26. Sow petunia seed in hotbed, coldframe or sunny window box for extra early plants.

27. Stress yellow corn meal, leafy vegetables with considerable green coloring and other foods high in vitamin value.

28. Test vegetable and flower seeds for germination.

29. Talk with neighbors about cooperative buying of power sprayer for use on shade trees and in or-chards.

30. Combat San Jose scales dur-ing a mild period on all woody plants these pests infest.

31. Check unsolved problems of 1945 and get the profitable habit of writing the editor for all needed information. This is the highway to progress in garden and farming.

A True Story For The New Year

A few years ago the writer was accompanied on an automobile trip through the middle west by an urban newspaper editor who had little first-hand knowledge of how rural people lived. Of course, we saw many run-down, decrepit farms with yards choking with weeds and houses unkempt and outmoded. Then, too, there was an occasional farm showing evidences of prosper-ity and well begun but lacking fully the proper environments of rural comfort and contentment. In all, our editor friend was not un-duly impressed with the desirability of living on the land. "There are too many necessities missing," he maintained.

The writer purposely planned to stop one late August day at noon at a farm of a friend of many years, a man we consider outstanding among American farmers, not solely because he is a successful farmer, but more because he is a wise farmer

and a commendable citizen.

The two teen-age sons of the family* were bringing their teams from the field as we drove up the shrub-bordered driveway. Soon the proprietor, whom we shall call Mr. H, came out to greet us and led us into a comfortable sitting room with the insistence that we stay for lunch which was almost ready. We had hoped the editor would find a sur-prise in the kind of food served to unexpected guests on what should be a typical farm. And we were not disappointed.

"Where on earth do you get such incomparable roasts?" he inquired of our host, as he accepted a second helping of delicious beef. "I don't find anything like this around city eating places."

"Did you ever hear of an auto-motive manufacturer having to walk to his office for lack of a car?" Mr. H smiled. "We have our own re-frigerator room here and keep it well supplied with fresh beef and pork around the year. We produce meat here, so why shouldn't we enjoy it at its best?"

The only daughter of the family, a beautiful girl home from her junior year at the state university, served a delectable peach cobbler to complete the excellent meal. The editor actually stared at the golden sections of tree-ripened fruit nod-ding through the rich heavy cream after he took his first bite.

Later as we sat in easy chairs on the front lawn beneath a large old elm tree, where the fragrance of delphiniums, gladioli and several other seasonal flowers floated from an attractive border across the broad sweep of closely clipped grass, the editor looked around at the ordered simplicity and remarked, "I am amazed to find farm folks living like this."

"We consider the farm a place to live rather than a place to make a living," Mr. H explained with visible pride. "And there is no reason why farm families can't en-joy better food than anyone else. Of course, we can have a finer lawn here than the city man can grow, and we can produce better flowers than can be produced from some cramped, soot-encrusted nook of urban real estate."

"But how do Mrs. H and you man-age to keep the two boys and your daughter contented here in the country?" asked the editor. "Most youngsters their ages are heading for the city with ambitions for great careers or to enjoy the pleasures they find in urban life."

"We have hot and cold running water and as fine a bathroom as any big hotel affords," Mr. H ex-claimed. "You're not going to get a hotel room with a front window view like that," he went on, wav-ing his hand around the horizon of the farm. "And too, the youngsters have a well equipped playroom; they bring their friends in whenever they desire; we have an electric-driven ice cream-making outfit; in fact, the kids enjoy all the benefits of city life and many more without having to pay any of the penalties. They know and appreciate what they have. Why, you couldn't chase one of them away from here. It's a mat-ter of making the farm a livable place. And in doing this we have not attempted to imitate the cheap pleasures and facilities of city life; we've merely capitalized on the scores of better things we have out here."

After a short silence Mr. H pointed to his great red barn. "See that sign? It read: Highland Acres—John W. H.—& Sons, Owners and Operators."

"We're all in partnership around here," he spoke slowly.

After we drove away from the farm home, the editor was silent for several minutes. Finally he said, "You know, there is hope for Amer-ica as long as we have the John W. H.—& Sons." Then he added as an afterthought of wisdom, "Per-haps the trouble is we don't have enough of them."

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Radio Does Not Expect Trouble

New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—Radio net-work officials, confronted with a pos-sible country-wide strike of Bell Telephone system employees in sym-phony with the walkout of western electric production workers, say they do not anticipate any serious curtailment of broadcast activities. They lease lines from the Bell sys-tem on a coast to coast basis over which to send programs to affiliated stations.

U. S. WILL KEEP ATOMIC ENERGY SECRET: BYRNES

Washington, Jan. 8 (AP)—Secretary of State Byrnes planned to give American UNO delegates in Lon-don today the same assurances on atomic energy safeguards that he left with the nation on his depart-ure.

Byrnes and his party were due in London at 11 a. m. (EST), in Presi-dent Truman's plane, "The Sacred Cow." Before leaving Washington last night, the secretary told re-porters he would call a meeting of the U. S. Delegation to the United Nations assembly "as soon as I get there."

Byrnes devoted all of yesterday to trying to convince Americans—at home and abroad—that:

1. The projected United Nations Atomic Energy Commission would have no power to demand sci-entific information which the United States did not furnish voluntarily.

2. This country could use its veto power to block any attempt by the UNO security council to gain such information.

3. If the council voted—with U. S. concurrence—to promote exchange of such information, the final de-cision on the extent of American participation would be made by con-gress.

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.), a member of the American delegation in London, has disclosed that he believes the atomic commission pro-posal should be rewritten to safe-guard more specifically America's knowledge of how to produce the atom bomb.

Byrnes probably will fight any attempt to change the wording of the plan, since it was a three-na-tion idea conceived at the Moscow Foreign Ministers' conference and not an exclusive U. S. product.

In a move designed to provide further assurances that American interests will be protected once the UNO Commission begins function-ing, Byrnes yesterday appointed a five-man committee to study "con-trols and safeguards" for atomic energy and the industrial processes which produce it.

Coroner Not Sure Who Fired Shots

Seibville, Del., Jan. 8 (AP)—The deaths of police chief Charles Mc-Cabe, 58, and his 46-year-old wife, Ella, were murder and suicide, Sus-sex county coroner William Con-way said today, but he admitted he "was not sure" who had fired the two fatal shots.

State police found Mrs. McCabe dead in her home yesterday, a bul-let hole between her eyes. Conaway reported, McCabe shot in the temple, was lying unconscious a short distance away. He died enroute to a hospital.

The coroner said state police be-lieved McCabe killed his wife and then himself, but Conaway asserted he "was not satisfied with that ver-dict and will investigate the case further."

Conaway said George Walker, the woman's brother-in-law, heard the couple quarrelling—then McCabe shouted:

"I'm going to put an end to this. I've stood it as long as I can."

Mrs. McCabe replied: "I'm ready too." Walker told Conaway. The two shots followed.

Preliminary investigation, Con-way said, disclosed powder marks upon Mrs. McCabe's head but none on her husband's. The gun was found between the two bodies.

"There is a possibility that

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of June 28, 1917, P. L. 647, and its amendments and supplements, of intention to file in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, on the 14th day of February, 1946, a certificate for the carrying on or conducting of a business in Adams County, Pennsylvania, with its principal place of business located at 22 Baltimore Street, Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania; the name and address of the person owning or interested in said business is Martin A. Redding, 653 South Washington, Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

MARTIN A. REDDING

653 S. Washington St., Gettysburg, Pa.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the members and policyholders of the GETTYSBURG MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company at the offices of Keith, Bigham & Markley, Second Floor, First National Bank Building, Center Square, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, on Monday, the 14th day of January, 1946, at 10 o'clock A. M. For the purpose of electing not less than seven (7) nor more than sixteen (16) directors to serve for the ensuing year, until their successors are duly chosen and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before the meeting.

SEWELL E. KAPP

Secretary

In The Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

In re: Estate of Sarah Bortner, deceased, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

To The Heirs, Legatees, Devisees, Exemptees and All Other Persons Interested in Said Estate:

Take notice that the undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Eida Klinefelter Neth, executor of the Will of said decedent, as shown by her First and Final Account, will in performance of the duties of his appointment, conduct a hearing at his office located on the Second Floor, No. 111 Baltimore Street, Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, the 5th day of February, 1946, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., E.S.T., at which time and place all persons interested may attend and will be heard, if they so desire.

J. FRANCIS YAKE, JR.,

Auditor

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KEITH, BIGHAM & MARKLEY, ESQs.,

Attorneys for Ronald M. Starnes and Lorraine G. Starnes

In The Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pennsylvania

No. 40 August Term, 1945

Action in Divorce

Gertrude C. Bankert vs. Emory P. Bankert

NOTICE OF HEARING

To: Emory P. Bankert, Respondent:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned has been appointed Master in the above action for divorce brought by Gertrude C. Bankert, your wife, against you on the grounds of cruel and barbarous treatment and indignities to the person.

A meeting to take testimony of witnesses will be held before me at my office in The First National Bank Building, Center Square, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday morning, February 6, 1946, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., at which meeting you may appear in person and/or by counsel and may produce such witnesses as you desire to have testify.

EDWARD B. BULLEIT, Esq.,

First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

Swiss cheese was brought into America by Swiss immigrants in 1830.

There are about 5,000 golf courses in the United States now, compared with 200 in 1914.

G. I. PROTESTS FIND ECHO ON CAPITOL HILL

Washington, Jan. 8. (AP)—Global GI cries of "shafu" over demobilization got Capitol Hill working today.

As Doughboys demonstrated in the Pacific, Europe and right outside the capital at Andrews Field, the slowdown in the army's demobilization program brought these Congressional repercussions:

1. Demands for a Congressional investigation of the entire program as requested by 12,000 American soldiers in a resolution adopted yesterday at Manila.

2. The possibility of a rush of signatures, when Congress reconvenes next week, to a House petition that would force immediate action on demobilization legislation.

There was a strong probability that the House Military Committee would order an investigation, or at least an informal inquiry, although Chairman May, (D-Ky.), was said by colleagues to feel that the army is doing the best it can. May is in Florida.

Letters, telegrams and petitions demanding action have started piling up in the committee's quarters. And one member commented privately that because this is a Congressional election year, "they are likely to receive some attention."

"Do Something," another member, insisted that "we should do something about it."

Citing figures on occupation needs, enlistments, inductions and army strength, Short told reporters he could not understand "why the army has to delay demobilizing high point men."

"Congress should get right on top of this situation," said Senator Edwin C. Johnson, (D-Colo.), in an interview. "It should get the facts and figures."

A House inquiry was requested by Rep. Mike Mansfield, (D-Mont.), in a letter to May, and Rep. Clarence Brown, (R-Ohio), declared to newsmen "we are entitled to know what is going on."

"If world conditions haven't changed and there is no emergency, can it be that the War Department is simply pressuring Congress to enact compulsory military training or to extend the draft?" Brown asked.

He noted that the army is supporting compulsory military training and extension of the draft law which expires May 15.

In announcing the demobilization slowdown last week, the army said Selective Service and voluntary enlistments together were failing to provide enough replacements.

House Democratic Whip Sparkman, of Alabama, said he believes the Military Committee, of which he is a member, should question army leaders "so all the facts can be laid before the public."

Gathering dust in a House Military Committee file is a bill introduced last September by Rep. Rankin, (D-Miss.), directing the release upon request of any individual who:

(A) Has had 18 months of active service since September 16, 1940;

(B) Has a wife, child or dependent parent; or (C) Wishes to resume education interfered with by military service.

Rankin has a so-called discharge petition on file in the House. If 218 members sign it, his bill will come up for a vote. At last count, there were about 150 signatures, the Mississippi said, adding that was before the army announced its discharge slowdown.

Rankin declined to predict what effect the new wave of demobilization dissatisfaction would have on his bill, but others supporting it said they expected numerous new signatures when the House reconvenes next Monday.

Enchanted Journey

Chapter 18

And so peace came once more to Roselands, a peace all the more precious because each one sensed a fleeting quality about it.

Edith and Whit had really never regained their first friendly footing, though outwardly their relationship was one of easy familiarity. Edith, trying unsuccessfully to recapture that first ardent admiration she had felt for him, was restless and unhappy. She spent a great deal of time at the country club and went about to many social affairs, to the great delight of her grandmother and Aunt Josie. She went in to town two afternoons a week to roll bandages at Red Cross headquarters and enrolled in a nurse aide class in a local hospital. She was unconsciously trying to keep herself too busy to think very deeply. She began to grow a little thin.

"You're not doing too much, are you, Edith?" Barbara asked worriedly several times.

"Of course not, Barbara. You mustn't worry about me."

"It would be dreadful if we let you get ill!"

"I'm perfectly all right. Having a wonderful time. Where are you going anyway, this warm afternoon?"

"Down to visit my brother. I'm taking the car, though."

"You'd better. Do—do you feel quite well? That is—I mean—would you like to have me drive you down?"

Barbara laughed gaily, unsuspectingly. "Of course not, I'm feeling fine. And I wouldn't think of keeping you from whatever you've planned. There'll come a time when I'll be calling on you, though!"

Edith walked out to the garage to get the coupe she was to use. "I didn't really want to go down to Burk Augus' house," she told herself. "I really did want to be a help to Barbara."

"It wasn't true! More than anything she could think of she would have liked to sit with those two in the peace and quiet of the cool parlour this afternoon. There was no use being silly about it! No use trying to deny her feeling! For days she had been wanting to see Burk again. He didn't like her—he had very plainly shown that—but nevertheless she wanted to see him. She wanted to prove something to herself. She wanted to make sure that the thing she had discovered in the movie that night was false."

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Letter to the Editor

Yokohama, Japan

Dear Sir:

I want to drop you a line and give you my correct address. The editions receives a welcome home when it arrives over here. I am in Troop Movement Section here at the Yokohama Port, which is under the 8th Army. I may be able to give you some interesting facts about the moving of troops at this end. It seems it makes the headline quite often in the paper in the U.S. and the people seem to think that the boys are not being moved as fast as they should. If this is true, I want to let them know that here at Yokohama there is no let down. The army may be going back on peace time hours some places, but Troop Movement works around the clock. They will be found checking men aboard ships any time during the day and night.

Yokohama loads and unloads all personnel in the area of the islands of Japan, and they send almost all their ships to be debarked at Seattle, Washington. Manila handles all the troops in the Philippines and their home port is San Francisco. Pearl Harbor handles the troops of Hawaii and surrounding islands and their home port is Los Angeles.

Many Chores

There are quite a few ships assigned to each port and they are put on a 72-hour turn around Basics, meaning that when a ship is docked here from Seattle we have just 72 hours to debark the troops and clean the ship. Then the ship is inspected by the Inspector General department, the Port Surgeon and then embarked with troops for the states. In that short time we must find out the capacity of the ship and allow two-thirds of its space to the 4th Replacement Depot, one-third of its space to the 11th Replacement Depot, which is the Air Corps. They must publish order and passenger list, baggage clearance, and ships manifest. Troop Movement has to schedule trains and trucks to get the men to the ships' side, where they are checked aboard.

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 714,611.73
United States Government Bonds	2,390,466.25
Other Bonds and Securities	304,110.00
Banking House	55,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,000.00
Cash and Reserves	660,716.14
Other Assets	1,164.00
	\$4,128,068.12
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 150,000.00
Surplus	225,000.00
Undivided Profits	17,685.57
Reserves	10,000.00
Demand Deposits	1,696,181.86
Time Deposits	2,029,200.69
	\$4,128,068.12

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RADIO PROGRAMS

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
6:00-WFAP-454M	6:00-WFAP-454M
4:00-Backstage	4:00-Backstage
4:15-S. Dallas	4:15-S. Dallas
4:30-L. Jones	4:30-L. Jones
4:45-Young Widder	4:45-Young Widder
5:00-G. Marries	5:00-G. Marries
5:15-Portia	5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill	5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page	5:45-Front Page
6:00-News	6:00-News
6:15-Serenade	6:15-Serenade
6:45-News	6:45-News
7:00-Supper club	7:00-Supper club
7:15-News	7:15-News
7:30-His Honor	7:30-His Honor
7:45-Young Wood	7:45-Young Wood
8:00-Judy Date	8:00-Judy Date
8:15-Amos, Andy	8:15-Amos, Andy
8:30-Fibber McGee	8:30-Fibber McGee
8:45-Bob Hope	8:45-Bob Hope
9:00-Red Skelton	9:00-Red Skelton
9:15-News	9:15-News
9:30-Mooney Orch.	9:30-Mooney Orch.
7:00-WOR-422M	7:00-WOR-422M
4:00-Matinee	4:00-Matinee
4:30-Dr. Eddy	4:30-Dr. Eddy
4:45-Don	4:45-Don
5:00-Superman	5:00-Superman
5:15-Sketch	5:15-Sketch
5:30-Tom Mix	5:30-Tom Mix
5:45-News	5:45-News
6:00-Sketch	6:00-Sketch
6:15-Sketch	6:15-Sketch
6:30-News	6:30-News
6:45-Sports	6:45-Sports
7:00-News	7:00-News
7:15-Answer Man	7:15-Answer Man
7:30-Arthur Hale	7:30-Arthur Hale
7:45-Sports	7:45-Sports
8:00-Comedy	8:00-Comedy
8:15-The Falcon	8:15-The Falcon
8:30-News	8:30-News
8:45-Stones	8:45-Stones
9:00-Forum	9:00-Forum
9:15-Symphonette	9:15-Symphonette
9:30-News	9:30-News
9:45-Monroe orch.	9:45-Monroe orch.
7:00-WJZ-658M	7:00-WJZ-658M
4:00-Berch Show	4:00-Berch Show
4:15-Fitzgerald	4:15-Fitzgerald
4:30-News	4:30-News
4:45-H. Harigan	4:45-H. Harigan
5:00-Terry	5:00-Terry
5:15-Dick Tracy	5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong	5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Sketch	5:45-Sketch
6:00-News	6:00-News
6:15-H. Morgan	6:15-H. Morgan
6:30-News	6:30-News
6:45-C. Tinney	6:45-C. Tinney
7:00-Headlines	7:00-Headlines
7:15-News	7:15-News
7:30-Drama	7:30-Drama
7:45-News	7:45-News
8:00-Lum, Abner	8:00-Lum, Abner
8:15-E. Davis	8:15-E. Davis
8:30-Young Show	8:30-Young Show
8:45-Lombardi Or.	8:45-Lombardi Or.
9:00-Ductors	9:00-Ductors
9:15-Sketch	9:15-Sketch
9:30-Touchdown	9:30-Touchdown
9:45-Concert	9:45-Concert
10:00-Green Hornet	10:00-Green Hornet
10:15-News	10:15-News
10:30-Sports	10:30-Sports
10:45-Dance Or.	10:45-Dance Or.
8:00-WABC-675M	8:00-WABC-675M
4:00-House Party	4:00-House Party
4:15-Story	4:15-Story
4:30-G. McRae	4:30-G. McRae
4:45-News	4:45-News
5:00-Tavern	5:00-Tavern
5:15-Sparrow	5:15-Sparrow
5:30-News	5:30-News
5:45-Vocalist	5:45-Vocalist
6:00-World Today	6:00-World Today
6:15-Jack Kirkwood	6:15-Jack Kirkwood
6:30-Smith Show	6:30-Smith Show
6:45-News	6:45-News
7:00-Big Town	7:00-Big Town
7:15-Theater	7:15-Theater
7:30-Inner Scene	7:30-Inner Scene
7:45-My Best	7:45-My Best
8:00-News	8:00-News
8:15-News	8:15-News
8:30-Talks	8:30-Talks
8:45-News	8:45-News
9:00-Vocalist	9:00-Vocalist
9:15-Maritime	9:15-Maritime
WEDNESDAY	
6:00-WFAP-454M	
4:00-News	
4:15-C. McCarthy	
4:30-Sing	
4:45-R. Hendricks	
5:00-Honey Moon	
5:15-A. Hawley	
5:30-News	
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Little Girl Is

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victim were missing as nearly 100 policemen and crews from the city sewer department continued their all-night search.

Meanwhile, scores of the department's top ranking detectives ran down every possible clew in efforts to apprehend the kidnaper-killer.

Several men were taken into custody for questioning. There was no disclosure immediately by police if any were regarded as suspects of the brutal murder.

The tragic news of Suzanne's death was told to her grief-stricken parents, James and Helen Degnan, by their parish priest last night shortly after the finding of the severed head of the little girl in a catchbasin near an apartment building about a half block from the Degnan home.

Found Near Home

About five hours later the left leg, severed at the thigh with a clean cut, was discovered in a sewer in a nearby alley. The right leg and parts of the torso were removed from another sewer in an alley a block south near the Degnan home. Later the remainder of the torso, minus the arms, was found in another sewer, also less than a block from the home.

The brutality of the crime shocked the city. Hundreds of persons milled near the Degnan home throughout the night as scores of police toured the area in response to pleas from parents terrorized after news of the finding of the child's body. Many pleaded for police protection for their children until the killer had been apprehended.

"Sadistic Fool"

Mayor Edward J. Kelly, who last night went to the home of the distraught parents, termed the slaying "even too horrible for a maniac." Police Captain John L. Sullivan called the killer a "sadistic fool," motivated by both lust and money.

The only possible clews, police said, were two bags, in one of which parts of the body had been placed before being thrown into the sewers, fingerprints found on the window sill of Suzanne's bedroom and a makeshift seven-foot ladder used by the kidnaper to enter the girl's room.

The parents, since the discovery of Suzanne's kidnapping at 7:30 a. m. Monday had maintained hope throughout yesterday that they would get their child back by paying \$20,000, as demanded in a note left in her room.

Father Made Appeal

Degnan, 36-year-old supervisory executive of the Chicago metropolitan Office of Price Administration, had appealed by radio to the kidnaper to return his child and he would pay the ransom. He pleaded with his daughter to obey her abductor.

But his appeals and pleadings were of no avail. Police theorized that Suzanne, who was a first grade pupil in the Sacred Heart Academy, had been killed almost immediately after the kidnaper snatched her from her bed at a time estimated around 3 a. m.

The kidnaper in his note had warned that he would harm his victim if police were notified of the abduction. Degnan, in two radio appeals, had promised the kidnaper immunity from prosecution for Suzanne's safe return and pledged he would pay the \$20,000.

Degnan, whose salary is \$7,500 a year, did not relate how he would raise the amount demanded by the kidnaper. He came to Chicago from Washington last July and his family—his wife, Suzanne and another daughter, Elazabeth, 10—followed him last September.

A native of Worcester, Mass., and a graduate of Holy Cross college, Degnan before joining the OPA as a field representative, had been in the retail tire business in Millville, New Jersey.

Priest Breaks News

Chicago, Jan. 8 (AP)—A parish priest, accepting a plea by police officials, relayed the tragic news of the slaying of little Suzanne Degnan to her grief-stricken parents last night.

Father George G. Kearney of St. Gertrude's church, accompanied by Detective Edwin C. Daly, went to the Degnan home shortly after the finding of the severed head of the child in a sewer.

Helen Degnan, 36, mother of the six-year-old slain Suzanne, was lying on a lounge, sobbing softly, hoping, praying for the safety of her child. Alongside her sat her husband, James E. 36, who sought to comfort her.

Father Kearney looked at the distraught couple for a minute, then quietly asked: "Do you have strong faith?"

"We Understand"

Mrs. Degnan, sobbing faintly, raised her head slightly. "I have faith, father, tell me." Her husband nodded.

The couple looked intently at the priest. He said nothing. Another pause and then Degnan, his eyes filling with tears, whispered: "I understand, father." He placed a comforting arm about his wife's shoulder. "We understand, don't we, Mom?"

Father Kearney and Daly stood silent as the couple sought bravely to compose their emotions.

"Was she disgraced, father?" "Was she badly harmed?" The priest remained mute. He appeared to shake his head, slowly. Inspector Daly left the room as the priest lingered, to offer what comfort he could.

Draft In State Has Cost \$13,646,641

Harrisburg, Jan. 8 (AP)—The task of drafting 844,909 Pennsylvanians for the armed forces cost \$13,646,641 from Sept. 15, 1940, to Sept. 30, 1945, State Selective Service headquarters reported today.

The cost of operating the draft in the Keystone state was more than five times what it cost in World War I. It averaged \$16.15 per inductee in World War II.

Selective service spent \$2,506,669 in Pennsylvania in World War I to draft 223,122 at an average cost of \$11.23 per man.

With its 422 local boards and 15 appeal boards Pennsylvania's was the largest system under one headquarters.

The record, officials declared, shows Pennsylvania furnished approximately one-fourth of the war goods at a time when draftees, enlisted men and members of the Federalized National Guard from Pennsylvania made up approximately one-eighth of those in the armed forces.

Dismiss Proceedings Vs. Power Company

Philadelphia, Jan. 8 (AP)—The Securities and Exchange Commission announced today that since the reorganization of Pennsylvania Power and Light company, Allentown, Pa., has been consummated, it has dismissed its simplification proceedings against the company, its parents, National Power and Light company, and Electric Bond and Share company, National's parent.

The SEC also rescinded a restriction against Pennsylvania Power's declaration or payment of any dividends on common stock in excess of 25 percent of net earnings available for the stock.

The company's recapitalization plan was approved by the SEC on Oct. 26, 1945.

News Briefs

Philadelphia, Jan. 8 (AP)—The Pennsylvania Supreme Court refused today to set aside death sentences given two Williamsport men for murder. The tribunal turned down requests of Robert W. Pepperman, 26, and John Darisus West, 28, that their penalties be changed to life imprisonment.

London, Jan. 8 (AP)—Sources close to the British government today expressed skepticism of reports that Russia had developed a new atom bomb which makes the western powers' weapon "obsolete." The report was made last night by Dr. Raphael E. G. Armatte, director of Lomesh Research Center for Anthropology and Human Biology at Londonderry, Northern Ireland. Armatte declined to disclose the source of his information aside from saying that members of the center's staff were affiliated with Russian scientific societies.

Washington, Jan. 8 (AP)—President Truman today attributed the slowdown in the army's rate of demobilization to "the critical need for troops overseas." The President declared in a statement that he was convinced that both the army and the navy are demobilizing "with commendable efficiency and with justice to all concerned."

New York, Jan. 8 (AP)—The CIO United Electrical Workers Union, which has called a nationwide strike of 200,000 members for January 15, says it has offered to resume negotiations with the Westinghouse Electric corporation.

Chicago, Jan. 8 (AP)—One hundred picked policemen began a house-to-house, store-to-store search today for the maniac kidnaper-killer of Suzanne Degnan, 6, whose dismembered body was found in sewer catchbasins near her north side home last night.

Washington, Jan. 8 (AP)—President Truman said today that some increases in the price of steel probably would be granted as the result of discussions now under way.

With Our Service Men

Pvt. Marlin R. Hankey now receives his mail 3704 AAF, BU, SC, T. Class 461, Keesler Field, Miss.

Pvt. Paul C. Woodward is receiving his mail Co. D, 13th Bn., 4th Regt., AGFRC, 1st Camp Pickett, Va.

Lt. Henry E. Johnson now receives his mail 8th Co., 2nd Bn., 1st Q.M. Training Group, ASFTC, Camp Lee, Va.

FRACTURES LEG

Mrs. Elton Myers, Idaville, is a patient in the Carlisle hospital as the result of a fall at her home Saturday in which she suffered a fracture of her right leg.

LIFE BEGINS AT

Kansas City, Jan. 8 (AP)—Police Officer Frank Hoover wished "Rookie" Tom Morrison a happy 80th birthday. Morrison has been on the Kansas City force since 1897. But Hoover, a policeman since 1887, is 85.

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Orrtanna—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Peppie and children, Gaila and Lowell, spent Sunday in Hagers-town as guests of Mrs. Peppie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weaver, and family in observance of Mrs. Peppie's birthday anniversary.

Miss Betty Jo Naugle resumed her studies at West Chester State Teachers' college Wednesday after spending the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Naugle.

H. F. Lawver who was confined to his home by illness is able to be out again.

Mrs. Stella Engel spent New Year's day with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Harris, at Marysville, Pa.

J. A. Cease is confined to his home with arthritis.

S. C. Ira Herring, who recently returned from overseas and who is spending a furlough with his father, C. E. Herring, motored to Norfolk, Va., to visit his brother and sister-in-law Chief Gunners Mate and Mrs. Chester Herring. Ira was accompanied to Norfolk by his cousin, Gerald Nary, of Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burkhard had as guests during the holidays their four daughters and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Perry, of Urbana, Ohio; Miss Ruth Burkhard, of Deshler, Ohio; Miss Christine Burkhard, a student of Bluffton college, Ohio. Miss Agnes Burkhard, a student nurse in the Mennonite hospital, Bloomington, Ill.

Pfc. Frederick McConnell, who recently returned from overseas, has gone to Duncannon and Marysville to spend some time with relatives after spending some time with his mother, Mrs. Stella Engel, at the C. E. Herring home. Pfc. McConnell will return to the Herring home in the near future for an indefinite stay.

Miss Janet Shindedecker and Merl Shindedecker are spending sometime with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Martin Melhorn recently slaughtered two hogs which weighed when dressed 507 and 530 pounds, respectively.

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